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GERMANS REALISE NO HOPE FOR EARLY PEACE: RESTRICTIONS ON FOOD STRINGENT

"Up Against It" On Western Front

A REUTER REPORT FROM COPENHAGEN STATES THAT NEWS FROM GERMANY INDICATES THAT IT IS REALISED IN THAT COUNTRY THAT THERE IS NO HOPE FOR AN EARLY PEACE. THE GERMANS ARE EAGER TO FINISH WITH THE POLES AS SOON AS POSSIBLE IN ORDER TO CONCENTRATE ALL THEIR ENERGIES ON THE WESTERN FRONT WHERE, IT IS ADMITTED, THEY ARE "UP AGAINST IT."

FOOD RESTRICTIONS ARE NOW MOST STRINGENT AND RATIONS FOR DOGS AND CATS HAVE BEEN SEVERELY CURTAILED.

"Destroy Everything Which Offers Resistance"

HITLER'S ORDER TO BE EXECUTED TO THE LETTER

PARIS, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The Germans are bombing all towns and villages. Southern and Central Poland are a terrible picture," says a Lwow broadcast appealing against German barbarism.

It is asserted that Hitler has ordered that the "destroy everything which offers resistance" order be executed to the letter.

Siedlce, 56 miles to the east of Warsaw is almost wholly destroyed and Lublin is in flames.

German parachutists killed a 16-year-old shepherd for seeing them land.

Moscow Conscripts Called Up

MOSCOW, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The first batch of conscripts under the new military service law, passed on August 31, were called up to-day. According to unofficial estimates a million men are affected.

"Pravda" emphasises the necessity of "complete military preparedness because the capitalist world has been caught by the war fever."

CONTROL OF EMPLOYMENT BILL WARMLY APPROVED

LONDON, Sept. 15 (BWS).—The Control of Employment Bill, whose object is to ensure full employment of labour especially highly trained key men in the engineering industry in places where needed and to ensure that, if a man is displaced, he must be offered suitable alternative employment, passed its second reading in the House of Commons yesterday and is warmly approved by the press.

"The Times" describes the Bill as a non-contentious measure by reason of acceptance of stricter assurances to the trade unions which safeguard the rights of the individual workman and of organized labour. "The result is a further demonstration of the unity and resolve that animates the whole nation."

The "Daily Herald" referring to the highly important amendments incorporated in the Bill by consent as a result of which full consultation with organised labour

An official communique states that French forces have improved their front line advances despite heavy German artillery bombardment and have consolidated their positions near Luxembourg, states a Reuter report from Paris.

Messages received in Brussels officially confirm that several towns near the Siegfried Line have been evacuated as a "temporary measure."

NAZI FORCES ADVANCING TOWARDS LWOV

LONDON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The German High Command claims that German forces have entered Stanislaw and are now advancing towards Lwow which is practically surrounded.

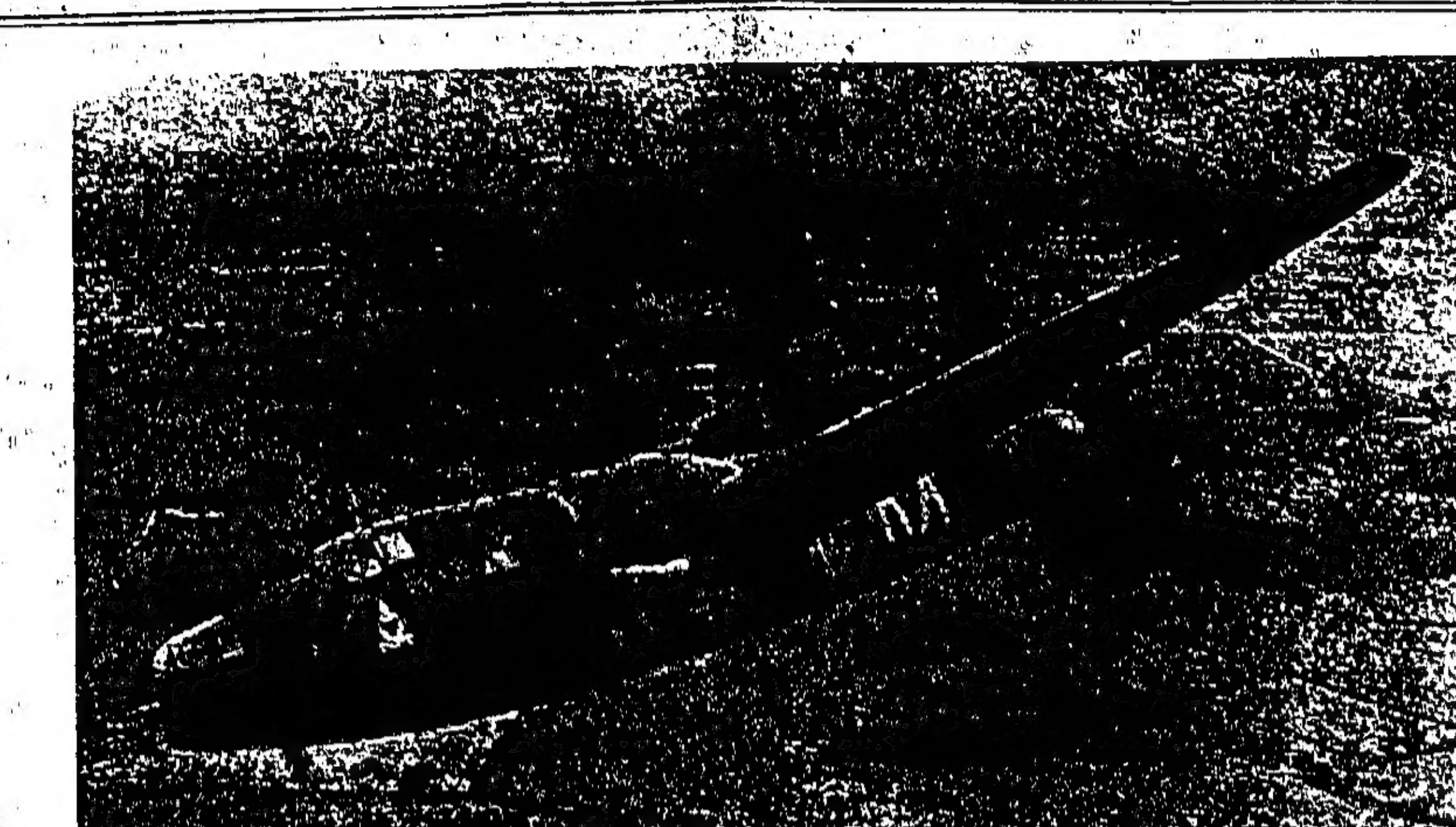
It is said that part of the Poland army tried to break through the German lines to the south-east of Lwow but failed.

In the north-east and south-west of Warsaw German forces have reached the suburbs of the capital.

POLISH OBSTACLES
ROME, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The Vatican newspaper, "Osservatore Romano," declared to-day that the German operations in Poland are meeting with obstacles which are continually becoming greater.

The newspaper adds that the recent rains are impeding troop movements and the secondary roads have become almost impassable especially for heavy motorised units.

Continuing, the paper says that the "defence of Warsaw will constitute one of the finest pages of the struggle in which courage, military talent and patriotism are mingled."



Vickers Wellington long-range bombers, which have a maximum speed of 265 m.p.h. and a range of 3,200 miles, flying over Britain.

King Expresses Deep Appreciation Of Loyal Messages Received From Colonies: Jewry Pray

NAZI SHIPYARDS WORKING AT FULL PRESSURE

BRUSSELS, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The Berlin correspondent of a Belgian paper says that the shipyards in Germany are working at the fullest pressure building submarines and warships as Germany intends to challenge the British blockade and start wholesale sinking of British ships.

AUSTRALIA FORMS WAR CABINET

CANBERRA, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The Prime Minister of Australia, Mr. R. G. Menzies, has formed a War Cabinet with himself as head. The Cabinet includes:—Mr. R. G. Casey, Minister of Supply and Development; Brigadier G. A. Street, Minister for Defence.

Sir Henry Gullet, Minister for External Affairs; Senator McLeay, Minister for Commerce and Vice-President of the Executive Council; Mr. W. M. Hughes, Attorney General and Minister for Industry. Mr. Hughes was Prime Minister during the Great War.

VOLUNTEER CORPS
CANBERRA, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—Australia is raising a volunteer corps of 20,000 for services at home or overseas. Defence expenditure for next year will be increased from £33,000,000 to £45,000,000.

NEW ZEALAND AID
WELLINGTON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The New Zealand Government has told the British Government that surplus products of the Dominion would be placed at the disposal of the United Kingdom, declared Mr. Fraser, Acting Prime Minister.

He added that the whole manpower and resources of New Zealand should be used to protect the country and to assist Britain. A tragedy occurred on the New Territories border on Thursday morning near the Lwowa military outpost.

LONDON, Sept. 15 (BWS).—His Majesty, through the Colonial Secretary, Mr. Malcolm Macdonald, has expressed his deep appreciation of the loyal messages received from Ceylon, Nigeria, the Gold Coast, Sierra Leone, Tanganyika Territory, Northern Rhodesia, British Honduras and the Leeward Islands.

An expression of His Majesty's gratitude has been conveyed to the Chief Rabbis of Palestine for their message of "heartfelt blessings and fervent prayers of the Palestine Jewry for Britain's victory in her heroic stand for right against might and ultimate world peace" which was recently received by the Lord Chamberlain.

From Lagos, it is learned that internment of enemy aliens in Nigeria is complete but the authorities have been able to release about half the number on parole.

Germans who remained in the Cameroons after the declaration of war have similarly been placed on parole and are being employed, as far as is possible, on plantations which have been taken over by the public custodian of enemy property. The Cameroons have, until now, done a large trade in bananas mainly exported in German vessels.

One of the most fervent of loyal messages from the Colonies arrived from Bahamas to-day. The House of Assembly passed a resolution assuring the King of their devoted adherence to him and to the British Empire "of which we are so proud to be a member" and protesting their eagerness to serve the Empire, not only during the present crisis, but at all times.

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ANNUAL REPORT OF MINISTRY OF HEALTH

LONDON, Sept. 15 (BWS).—Preparations made by the Ministry of Health in anticipation of war emergency requirements, involving provision of new services now in operation, are dealt with in the report of the Ministry of Health for the year ended March.

It records the establishment of two new divisions, one for dealing with treatment of air raid casualties the other to organise evacuation.

New health records for the nation are revealed in a general survey given in the report. The death rate for the year was the lowest ever recorded while there is a slight upward turn in birth rate. Maternal mortality for the first time fell below three per thousand births.

Infant mortality also reached a new low record and death from tuberculosis fell sharply. Nearly 102,000 houses were completed by the local authorities in the year and, since the last war, the total number erected is equal to the complete rebuilding of six of the largest provincial cities.

FOOTBALL AGAIN IN ENGLAND

LONDON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The decision allowing re-opening of cinemas and theatres also applies to football and organised games thus enabling the Football Association to proceed with competitive matches.

It is understood that there will be no professional club matches to-morrow owing to lack of time for assembling players but the majority of leading league clubs are playing pre-arranged friendlies in safe areas.

POLISH GOLD MOVED

LONDON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—A Moscow message states that the bullion of the Bank of Poland has been removed to Rumania. Officials of the Bank arrived at a Rumanian border town a few days ago to arrange for the transfer.

RESIGNATION OF ALL MEMBERS OF ST. JOHN AMBULANCE MAY BE STRIFE RESULT

Tension Is Rapidly Approaching Climax

FURTHER STARTLING DEVELOPMENTS IN THE AFFAIRS of the St. John Ambulance Brigade and Association have now taken place following the revelations made exclusively in the "Hongkong Daily Press" on Wednesday last.

It will be recalled that it was disclosed that the administration of this very essential public organisation was being hampered by the struggle that has arisen over what the members regard as an attempt to impose a dual control on its activities.

A representative of the "Hongkong Daily Press" has been endeavouring, since this subject was first made public, to ascertain what exactly is the Hongkong Government's connexion with this institution as implied by the appointment of an executive committee by His Excellency the Governor about a month ago.

Unfortunately, members of the committee, who were interviewed, refused to make any statements, or to aid in clearing up the complications that have arisen over this subject.

One of them, when interviewed, said: "I am not allowed to talk," while another remarked: "I cannot express any views."

The following version of the situation, therefore, represents only unofficial views. So far as our representative was able to discover, however, it is the view taken by the great majority of members of the Brigade.

REACHING CLIMAX
His enquiries reveal that the tension amongst the members of the St. John Ambulance Brigade and Association is rapidly approaching a climax and that what would amount to a veritable "walk-out" is a possible result. Members state:—Continued on Back Page

BRIEF SESSION IN COMMONS

LONDON, Sept. 15 (BWS).—The House of Commons, after a brief session, rose before luncheon to-day and adjourned until Wednesday next when an appreciation of the war situation, which is to be contributed weekly by the Prime Minister, will be given.

The House will also sit next Thursday and newspapers anticipate that for the present sittings will be held on only two or, at most, three days weekly.

Japanese Paper Urges Continued Friendship With Nazi Germany

TOKYO, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—Stressing that the announcement of the Soviet-German Non-Aggression Pact on August 23 caused a tremendous shock and a feeling of betrayal throughout Japan which has hitherto been convinced of the strength of the Berlin-Tokyo axis, the "Hochi Shimbun," Germanophile daily, in an inspired leader, says that the democracies are taking the opportunity to spread propaganda to the effect that Japanese-German relations are very strained.

The paper further claimed that it learned from a most reliable source yesterday that the German Ambassador, Gen. Ott, has been urging on the Berlin Government the necessity of proving to the whole world that the so-called aggravation of relations is merely Anglo-French propaganda.

The Journal also makes out that Gen. Ott is maintaining, despite

Japanese Withdraw From Chungshan

MACAO, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—A Chinese message from Shekai claims that following the indiscriminate Japanese bombing of Chinese villages yesterday, the natives of Chungshan throughout last night furiously attacked Japanese encampments resulting in Japanese withdrawal to their ships throughout to-day with hundreds of wounded.

Japanese dead and wounded during the recent Wangmoon fighting are upwards of 1,000, including scores of officers.

Natives of Chungshan are loud in their praise of Gen. Cheng Wal-chung, their leader, who personally directed the defence in the recent fighting.

JAPANESE MISSIONS FOR LONDON

LONDON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The Japanese military, naval and economic missions, at present in Italy, will leave Rome for London, en route to Tokyo.

It is reported that the economic mission will stay in London for discussions.

NIIPPONS CALLED HOME
TOKYO, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The Japanese Foreign Office has issued orders that all Japanese abroad, who can possibly do so should return home. New passport regulations in Japan now make it most difficult for Japanese to travel to Europe.

ALL-IN WRESTLING COMES TO H.K.: MOUNTAINS OF MUSCLE TO GO INTO

SPORTING FIXTURES TO-DAY

LAWN BOWLS.—First Division: Kowloon B.G.C. v. Police; "Civil Service" v. Recreation "B"; Kowloon C.C. v. Recreation "A"; Indian R.C. v. Craigenower; Third Division: H.K. F. Club v. Craigenower; Recreation v. Yacht Club; H.K. Electric v. Kowloon C.C.

SWIMMING.—Police and Prisoners Dept. Sports at V.R.C., 2 p.m.

TO-MORROW

FOOTBALL.—St. Joseph's v. Eastern A.A. (Hongkong F.C.), 5.15 p.m.

LAWN BOWLS.—Goscombe O'Sullivan final (Police R.C.), 3 p.m.

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THE MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

Draw Programme of the October Race Meeting to be held on 1st October, 1939.

1. The Colowan Handicap. Winner \$150. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies, Subscription Ponies of this Club of any Season that have not won a race since 1st January, 1939. Subscription Griffins of the Hong Kong Jockey Club, barred. Jockey allowance. Entrance \$5. Five Furlongs.

2. The Praia Grande Handicap. Winner \$150. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of the Hong Kong Jockey Club purchased at Hong Kong by this Club during 1938-9. Jockey allowance. Entrance \$5. Five Furlongs.

3. The Lappa Handicap. (First Section) Winner \$175. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies classified by the Hong Kong Jockey Club as "E" class. Jockey allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

N. B.—Only one Entry will be made for the Lappa Handicap. Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

4. The Porto Cerco Handicap. Winner \$200. Second \$100. Third \$75. For China Ponies classified by the Hong Kong Jockey Club as "D" class. Jockey allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

5. The Stewards' Cup. Winner \$150. Second \$75. Third \$50. A Cup to be won twice in succession by a pony or ponies belonging to the same owner or owners. A Forced entry. A Handicap for Subscription Ponies of this Club of any Season. Subscription Griffins of the Hong Kong Jockey Club, barred. Jockey allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

6. The Lappa Handicap. (Second Section) Winner \$175. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies classified by the Hong Kong Jockey Club as "E" class. Jockey allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

7. The Consolation Stakes. Winner \$100. Second \$50. Third \$30. For China Ponies, Subscription Ponies of this Club of any Season that have started in races 1 & 5 at this Meeting and not won. Weight 145 lb. Ponies placed Second in Race No. 5, 7 lb. penalty; placed 3rd 5 lb. penalty. Jockey allowance. Entrance \$5. Post Entries. Half a Mile.

Entries close on Thursday, 21st September, 1939.

In connection with the "Stewards' Cup" the 5th Race on the programme, a Special \$1. Sweep is being conducted. The cost of a thorough ticket including a chance in the Special Sweep is \$7, per set, and is obtainable from the Club's Office, 2nd Floor, Gloucester Building.

ACTION ON SUNDAY

India - Russia Clash

V. Zenovich Takes Up G. Hussain's Challenge

(BY "ALL-OUT")

I don't know whether body hurriers have ever done their stuff in Hongkong before. Perhaps, in the days gone by there may have been mighty, heaving and muscular bodies who swayed this way and that away to entertain those who preferred to trail after something more grippy than such tenderfoot games as croquet and skittles!

Anyway, All-In Wrestling, as they label it in the States, must surely be something new to many people in this burg. And that's the kinder fun that's going to be presented at the Alhambra Theatre on Sunday morning at 11 a.m.—a real he-man bill of fare, which even war tension and Hitlerism will not be able to mar.

HOW IT HAPPENED
How come? Well, it just happened that a mighty man-mountain Indian, whose handle is "Rustum" Ghulam Hussain, hit these shores recently, and threw out a challenge through the "Hongkong Daily Press" on Aug. 8 offering to sort of wipe the floor with anyone who felt the same way about him.

Turning the scale at 210 pounds, Man-Mountain Hussain must have made many a would-be he-man to turn green with envy, but for a time nothing was heard from anyone who was prepared to come

KING RECEIVES AUSTRALIAN RUGGERITES

LONDON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The King to-day received members of the Australian rugger team whose visit has been curtailed owing to the war.

The King and Queen in conversation with the players told them of the interesting places they had visited and said that the Duke of Kent was very disappointed that he was not able to take up the post of Governor-General of Australia.

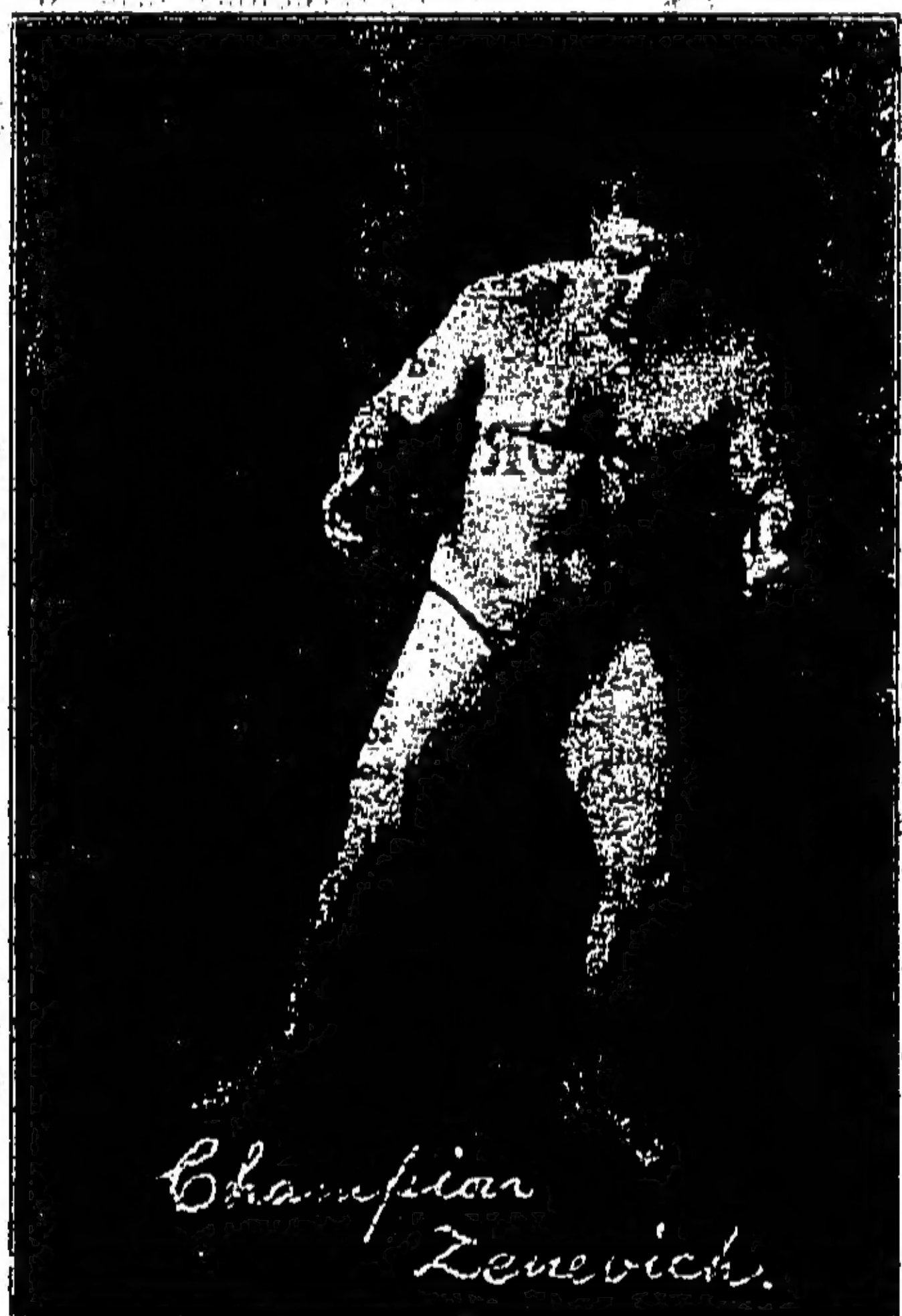
to grips with him, so to speak, in the ring.

There evidently are many man-mountains in this part of the world right now, for eventually one stepped out right smartly to say he was willing to say "How Are Yer?" to Hussain—He is Vladimir Zenovich, who is stated to be a champion, wrestler from that country where men are men and to hell with the rest!

From what I have seen of Vladimir, he's sure tough, with a torso and all that would have made all the Eugene Sandow guys go wonky.

ALL SET FOR SUNDAY
Well, to cut down the trimmings, all is set now for these two hurriers to get at each other and the Alhambra Theatre, where the screen has only given us flashes of something of this sort, will be the "spot" where they will battle for honours on Sunday.

Yes, Sir, they will go for each other in the American All-In Catch-as-Catch-Can style, which means that they can do anything but shoot each other full of lead! It's sure going to be fun, boys (and girls, shall I say?)—so get there on time to see, as the road bill describes it, "actual mountains of muscle in action!" And may the best man win.



CHAMPION V. ZENOVICH

FOOTBALL MATCH TO-MORROW

HAIPHONG TEAM V. EASTERN

The Eastern Athletic Association received a cable late yesterday stating that the Haiphong-Hanoi football team had decided to pay their arranged visit to Hongkong.

The team left Haiphong yesterday in the s.s. Canton and is expected to arrive here to-morrow morning.

It will play its first match here to-morrow, afternoon at 5 p.m. at the Hongkong Football Club ground, when Eastern A.A. will meet the visitors. Mr. R. M. Omar has consented to referee the game.

The second game, against the Combined Chinese, will be played on Saturday next, and on September 24, the visitors will play the Colony.

Admission to each game will be \$1 to the covered stand and 50 cents and 30 cents to the uncovered stands.

H.K. GOLF CLUB STARTING TIMES

The following are the Royal Hongkong Golf Club starting times for Fanning to-morrow—**OLD COURSE**

a.m.
9.16 J. T. Smith and F. D. Hunter.
9.20 A. N. and Q. A. A. Mac-tadyen.
9.24 G. M. Park and E. G. Price.
9.28 J. C. Brown and L. Jackson.
9.32 J. B. Harrison and J. M. Pearson.
9.36 M. Pollock and F. H. Pipe.
9.40 A. B. Purves and I. H. Geare.

HOME RACING CANCELLED

LONDON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The "Racing Calendar" states that the Jockey Club, after receiving information that no racing was possible before Oct. 16 at the earliest, cancelled the remaining fixtures for the season, including the Cesarewitch.

When the authorities grant permission new programmes will be arranged.

His Excellency the Governor will lead his team against the Club de Recreation in a Lawn Bowls match on the Club's grounds on Wednesday, Sept. 20 at 4 p.m.

ENTRIES AND WEIGHTS FOR SEVENTH EXTRA MEETING

The following are the entries and weights for the Seventh Extra Race Meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club to be held at Happy Valley on Saturday, September 23:—

Race 2—Tweed Island Bay Handicap—"B" Class—First Section (From the Mile Post)
Blue Express 166, Eve of Heaven 144, Expansion Time 150, Galaxy 158, Hectic View 153, Humdrum 150, Jennifer 162, Lillibet 161, Moonlight View 163, New Star 148, Red Feather 154, Rob Roy 168.

Race 3—Vaucluse Handicap—"B" Class (One Mile)
A Grand Time 140, Antec 135, Blandford 152, Chiltern 150, Cock-fetor 137, Criffel 155, Devonian 137, Happy Landings 135, Loquacious 145, Murrumbidgee 135, National Victory 135, Rising Star 135, Snowy River 154, Sydney Lad 140, Tornado Star 140, Triumphant Day 165, Victory Day 146, Vixen Tor 160, Winfred 152.

Race 4—Island Bay Handicap—"C" Class—First Section (One Mile)
Advancing Time 161, Boolat Bay 168, Dawn Star 168, Flybyday (late Five Virtues) 161, Garveston Bay 160, Lovely Star 144, Marksman 158, Musketeer 152, Pinfarthings 168, Rose Evelyn 151, Rose-Queen 151, Scenic View 140, Soldier of British 168.

Race 5—Tweed Island Bay Handicap—"B" Class—Second Section (From the 1½ Mile Post)
Avon 163, Commencement Bay 161, Gladiator 140, Half-Moon Eve 161, Jobor 151, Just In Time 158, Lancashire Lass 160, Oak Bay 140, Peaceful View 161, Potentate 165, Rose Jane 154, Tampa Bay 140.

Race 6—Gosford Handicap—"C" Class (One Mile)
A Great Time 162, Ajax 142, Am-

ber 11 147, Annabella 165, Baffin Bay 153, Bruno 157, Brutus 165, Calmsmore 152, Discovery Bay 149, Heinz 152, Macquarie River 135, Murray River 143, Perfect Day 138, Funpernickel 152, Roofly 135, Ruby Star 153, Strathearnick 141, Tarzan 142, Twilight Star 147, Violet Queen 143.

Race 7—Clear Water Bay Handicap (From the 1½ Mile Post)
Argon 152, Ascot Vale 168, Bressay 151, Dow-Jones 140, Callant Marshal 149, Gog 157, Green-Bay 165, Heddon 149, Kut Cheung 158, Matador 151, National Honour 148, National Liberty 158, Silver Star 163, Smiling Time 160, Sports Venture 152, The Mermaid 140, Tiger Eyes 140, West Lake 161, Wild Bear 154.

Race 8—Junk Bay Handicap—"D" Class (Six Furlongs)
Clowner 148, Dekko 158, Desert Star 140, Double Chance 159, Ebony Idol 140, Emergency Call 140, Estover 149, Fel Ying 140, Gold Coin 149, Golden Cow 145, Jungle Jim 161, Meteor 140, National Anthem 140, National Guard 140, Night View 168, Plain View 155, Royal Highness 163, Sunlight View 161, Sylvandale 168, The Leopard 140, The Tigress 153, Valorous 140, Zero 140.

Race 9—Island Bay Handicap—"C" Class—Second Section (One Mile)

Blue Diamond 151, Forgotten Star 151, Hopeful Time 151, King's Lead 158, Lancashire Boy 145, Laughing Girl 148, Salvage Master 140, Smiling Thru 143, Soldier of China 158, Taxing Master 151.



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tinued and \$50 Big Bet tickets substituted.

The sale of \$5 Small Bet tickets will remain unchanged.

H.E. the Governor and Lady Northcote will be present at the Race Meeting at Happy Valley on Saturday, September 23, at 2.30 p.m.

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Passed as Air Raid Warden Instructors (Scouts): Fred V. Wong, F. H. Chan, Richard H. Wong, E. Sims, Shin Ka Wing.
Passed as Members of A.R.P. Despatch Corps (Scouts): Yung Man Tin, Cheung Chen Huan, C. J. Lens, Henry C. Ma, H. G. Ramage, Young Heung Wing.
Passed as Air Raid Wardens: Ho Ka Lim, Cheung Wai Man, Man Hon Cheung, Lo King Lau, Ma Yick Wan, Leung Kwong Hon, Ho Tsam Tong, Tsui Kai Wo, Fung Hin Shui, Yuen Fai Chaw, Miss Chan Sui King, Lee Ying S. Leung Ka Keung, Miss Katherine Yip, Wong Kwai Yan, Ng Ho Chan, Too, Mok Man Fong, Miss Mok Ching Lin.

HOLLYWOOD HAS NEW WONDER GIRL IN NOTED SWEDISH SCREEN STAR

Today's Screenings

Hongkong
KING'S: "There's That Woman Again"
QUEEN'S: "Man About Town"
ORIENTAL: "Bulldog Drummond's Bride"
CATHAY: "Too Hot To Handle"
Kowloon
ALHAMBRA: "Man About Town"
STAR: "One New York Night"
MAJESTIC: "The Three Musketeers"

Coming
KING'S: "Wife, Husband And Friend"
ORIENTAL: "The Lady's From Kentucky"
CATHAY: "Camille"
STAR: "The Crowd Roars"
MAJESTIC: "Angels With Dirty Faces"

SIX CASES OF CHOLERA ON THURSDAY
Six cases of cholera (3 from Victoria and 3 from Kowloon), 6 cases of dysentery (3 from Victoria, 2 from the New Territories and one from Kowloon), 5 cases of enteric fever (one from Victoria and 4 from Kowloon), 17 cases of tuberculosis and one case of diphtheria were notified to the Health Department on Sept. 14.

UNLICENSED RADIO SET
Appearing before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest, at the Central Court yesterday, on a summons for the possession of a wireless receiving set without a licence, Leung Shiu-po, a shop-keeper, of No. 318, Queen's Road West, was fined \$40.
Pleading guilty to the charge, Leung told the Court that when he bought the set he also gave money to the shop to obtain a licence for him. Evidently the management of the radio shop had failed to comply with his request. Leung, however, did not think it was necessary to call the shop assistant to give evidence.
Mr. James Key, Wireless Inspector, said that he visited the premises in question on August 18, and found the set, which was almost new. There was an indoor aerial which aggravated the matter.

TECHNICAL ADVICE
On the other side of the wall, a scant fifty feet distant, lies the humming, motorized civilization of Santa Monica Boulevard. Goldwyn has literally brought Mindanao to Hollywood. Official War Department photographs provided the prints for the sets, exterior and interior.
After they were completed and 1,500,000 gallons of water poured into the 900-foot lagoon, the whole panorama was subjected to the scrutiny of Col. W. H. Shuman, U. S. A. retired, former military governor of the island, who is technical adviser for the film.

Miss Ingrid Bergman

Hollywood is demonstrating to-day in spectacular manner why it is no longer necessary to film pictures on distant locations. We saw good example of this over at the Goldwyn studio the other day.
The island of Mindanao, in the Philippines, complete with a U. S. Army post, a native village and a jungle which includes a huge lagoon, lies there in the heart of the film city, behind a high wall, for use in the production, "The Real Glory," with Gary Cooper in the starring role, and with Andrea Leeds and David Niven featured.
SKILLED CRAFTSMEN
Skilled craftsmen have constructed a whole village of thatched bamboo huts on the edge of a large lagoon on the back lot. There also are a headquarters and a hospital, officers' quarters and complete interior furnishings, even to mosquito-netted beds.
More than 500 workmen devoted two months to the construction. Five hundred native Filipinos clad in authentic costumes, appear as savage Moros in the village sequences, and an equal number work in the uniforms of the famous Filipino Scouts, about whose heroic lives the story centres. About 200 additional extras, all veterans of the American service, compose the American Army.

CODE SIGNAL DISREGARDED
Pleading guilty to the charge of disobeying the code signal "X" given on the sign of No. 5 Police launch, on Sept. 7, the Chinese coxswain of s./l. Loong Shing was fined \$5, or, in default, five days imprisonment, by Commander G. F. Hole, at the Marine Court yesterday.
Defendant was also charged with making fast to the s.s. Anhui on Sept. 7, to which he pleaded not guilty, and was fined \$10, or, in default, 10 days imprisonment.

COMING EVENTS
SEPT.
16-Tides: High 11:25 a.m. and 11:17 p.m. Low 4:45 a.m. and 4:53 p.m. Sunrise 6:10 a.m. Sunset 6:27 p.m. Police and Prison Dept. Aquatic Sports at V.R.C. Diocesan Old Girls' Assn. "At Home."
A.R.P. Lecture (Chinese) Yau-mat Govt. School, 7:30 p.m.; Queen's College, 7:30 p.m.; Chinese Y.M.C.A., 7:30 p.m.
17-Tides: High 12:18 p.m. and 11:53 p.m. Low 5:33 a.m. and 5:25 p.m. Sunrise 6:11 a.m. Sunset 6:26 p.m. Radio and Postal Sports Club Tombola, Caroline Hill, 1:30 p.m. Y.M.C.A. Discussion Group, 9 p.m. Speaker: Mr. T. Herman "Where is China?"
18-Tides: High 1:29 p.m. Low 6:25 a.m. and 6:55 p.m. Sunrise 6:11 a.m. Sunset 6:25 p.m. Y.M.C.A. Bandaging Class, 10:30 a.m.; "Y. Ladies Hockey Meeting," 5:15 p.m.
Crown Land Sale, P.W.D. 2 p.m. H.K. Singers' Rehearsal Union Church, 8:30 p.m. Union Church, Annual Gen.-Mtg., 5:30 p.m.
A.R.P. Lecture-Shaukiwan Public Dispensary, 7:30 p.m.; in English, Club Lusitano, 5:30 p.m.; A.R.P. in Chinese, Queen's College, 7:30 p.m.; A.R.P. in English, Club Lusitano, 5:30 p.m.; A.R.P. (full course) in Chinese, St. John Ambulance Headquarters, 9:10 a.m.; A.R.P. in Chinese, Chinese Chamber of Commerce, 7 p.m.; A.R.P. in Chinese, Y.W.C.A., Bonham Road, 7:30 p.m.; A.R.P. in English, St. John's Cathedral Hall, 5:30 p.m.; A.R.P. in English, St. Andrew's Church Hall, 6 p.m.; A.R.P. Warden's Course, St. John Ambulance Headquarters, 5:30 p.m.; A.R.P. in English, Diocesan Girls' Junior School, 8 p.m.
20-Lecture on First Aid (Chinese) at Queen Mary Hospital, 6 p.m.-Lecturer: Dr. (Miss) P. C. Lai.
Y.M.C.A. Women's Section-Annual Gen. Mtg., 11 a.m.; Lecture by Surg. Capt. G. V. Hobbs on "Anatomy" 6 p.m.; Service Whist Drive, 8:30 p.m.
21-Lecture on Home Nursing (English) at Queen Mary Hospital, 6 p.m. Lecturer: Dr. (Mrs) L. J. Dowry.
Y.M.C.A. Mahjong Class 10 a.m.; Annual Winter Programme Mtg., 5:15 p.m.
St. Andrew's Women's Fellowship Annual Mtg. at St. Andrew's Hall, 3 p.m.
22-Y.M.C.A. "Keep Fit" Class, 10:30 a.m.; Med. Swimming, 6 p.m.; Badminton, 8:30 p.m.
Reel Class for Children at Helena May Institute, 4:45 p.m.
Annual Meeting of Hongkong Reel Club, Helena May Institute, 8:30 p.m.
23-Jockey Club Extra Race Meeting, Happy Valley.
Annual Outing for Blind Girls, 3 p.m.
24-Claims against estate of Ernest Ferdinand Overheim due, St. Andrew's Club Annual Gen. Mtg., Church Hall.
Unveiling of Plaque at Morrison Hall by H.K. 2nd Governor, 5:30 p.m.
25-Claims against estate of Charles Harold Braggwin due.

SOLUTION NO. 412
ACROSS: 1, Abode, 8, Primate, 9, Vicar, 11, Wide, 12, Heart, 14, Sting, 15, Amend, 17, Hare, 19, Depots, 21, Absurd, 24, Kine, 27, Cross, 29, Naive, 31, Least, 32, Such, 33, Heals, 34, Precede, 35, Adder.
DOWN: 2, Brittle, 3, Drawn, 4, Appear, 5, Niche, 6, Salad, 7, Debts, 10, Right, 13, Ends, 16, Mean, 18, Asks, 20, Cars, 22, Bench, 23, Revolve, 25, Issued, 26, Slaps, 27, Caper, 28, Otter, 30, Ahead.

CROSSWORD NO. 413

ACROSS
1 Unmarried (6)
4 Old fire-arm (6)
7 Enjoyable (8)
9 Lend (4)
10 Sport (4)
11 Shrink (5)
13 Elder (6)
14 Country (6)
15 Head gear (6)
17 Disagree (6)
19 Press under foot (6)
20 Girl (4)
22 Cry (4)
23 Choked (9)
24 Day of rest (6)
25 Gnawing animal (6)
DOWN
1 Climbs (6)
2 Valley (4)
3 Newspaper chief (6)
4 Girl (6)
5 Garden pest (4)
6 Inn (6)
7 Unafraid (9)
8 Contented (9)
11 Trailing star (5)
12 Quick (5)
15 Cuts in two, (6)
16 Agreement (6)
17 Risk (6)
18 Do again (6)
21 Fastener (4)
22 Fuse (4)

SOLUTION ON MONDAY

SATURDAY'S MENU

BREAKFAST
Chilled Grape Juice
Cereal
Sausages & Fried Apple Rings
Bran Muffins
Coffee

LUNCHEON
Ox Tail Soup
Artichoke Salad
Chicken Pie
Stewed Corn
Green Peas
Baked Onions
Blackberry Jelly
Apple Sauce
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Iced Tea

DINNER
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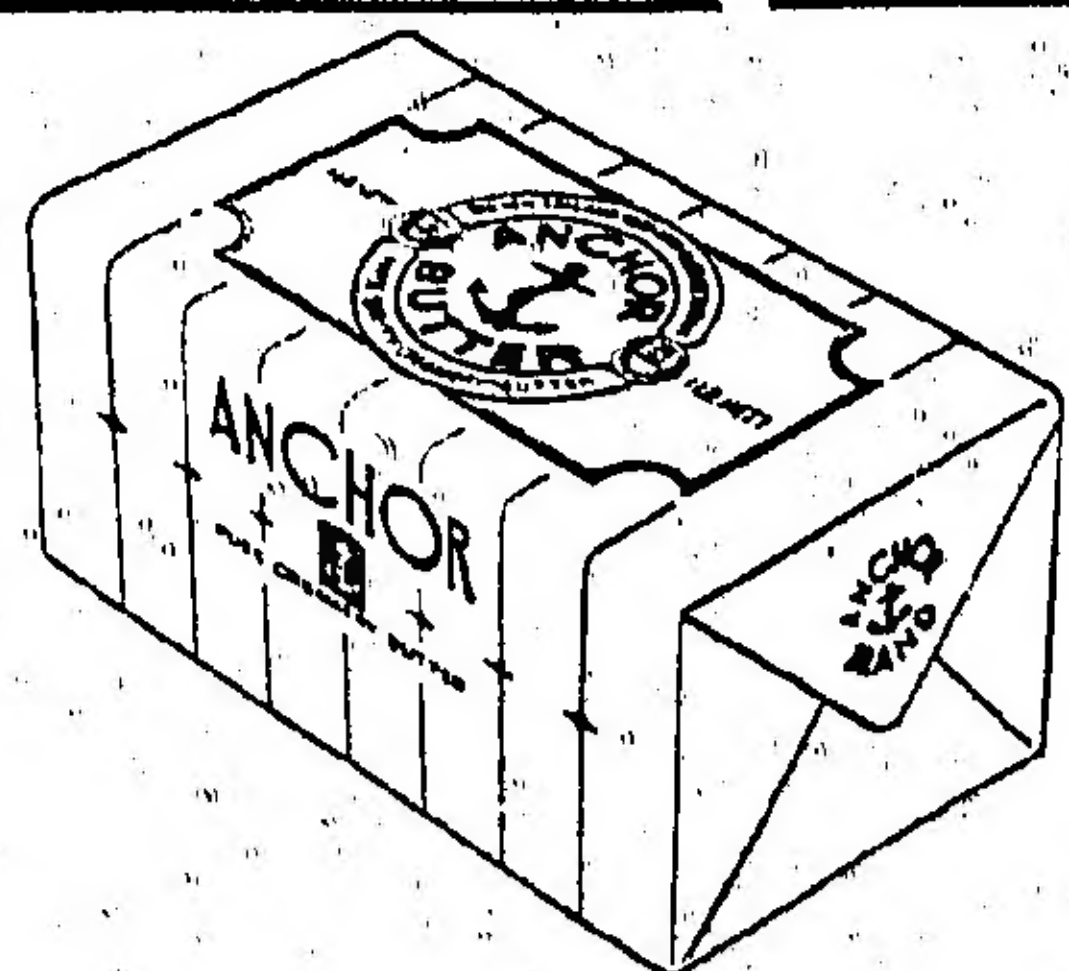
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Mozart Concerto
12.15 p.m. A Short Service of Intercession.
12.30 Les Allen (Vocal) and Teddy Foster and His Kings of Swing.
The Rhythm's O.K. in Harlem—Fox-Trot; Take Another Guess—Fox-Trot; Teddy Foster and His Kings of Swing; Sweet Heartache (film 'Hit Parade'); Where Is the Sun? (Redmond and David)—Les Allen (Vocal) with Lauri Day and Jimmy Tubbull on Two Pianos. Big Boy Blue—Fox-Trot; Ebony Shadows—Fox-Trot—Teddy Foster and His Kings of Swing.
1.15 Sing You A Thousand Love Songs (film 'Cain and Mabel'); When Did You Leave Heaven (film 'Sing, Baby, Sing')—Les Allen (Vocal) with Orch. Where The Lazy River Goes By—Blues (film 'Banjo on my Knee')—Teddy Foster and His Kings of Swing.
1.40 Local Time Signal and Weather Report.
1.45 Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) and The B.B.C. Wireless Military Band.
The Jolly Robbers—Overture (Supper)—The B.B.C. Wireless Military Band. The Silver Patrol (Sylvester and Thayer): Old Plantation (from 'Colon Club Parade')—Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) with Orch. and Male Quartet. Le Reve Passe (Krier and Helmer): Hungarian Dance (from 'Foreign Parts')—Moszkowski, Op. 23—B.B.C. Wireless Military Band. The Builder (Poley-Cadman): Pre-Foot (Barran-McCall): Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) with Orch.
1.50 Reuter and Rusby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 Dance Music by Jay Wilbur & His Band.
The Scene Changes—Fox-Trot; I'm A Learner In Love—Fox-Trot; Little Audrey—Comedy Fox-Trot; Dancing Moods—Novelty Fox-Trot; I Need You—Fox-Trot; Hello Blackpool—Medley—Intro: Hello Blackpool; Coronation Waltz; Across the great divide; Boo-Hoo; Goodnight my love; All alone in Vienna; Delyse; Hello Blackpool. With 'Mary' Tattooed On His Arm—Fox-Trot; So Many Memories—Fox-Trot.
2.15 Close down.
2.40 Mozart—Concerto in C Minor. Edwin Fischer (Piano) and The London Philharmonic Orch. conducted by Lawrence Collingwood.
3.10 Violin Solos by Fritz Kreisler. Gavotte (from Partita No. 3 in E Major—Bach); Rondino On A Theme By Beethoven (Kreisler)—with Piano accomp. by Franz Rupp. Fair Rosemary (Kreisler)—with Piano accomp. by Carl Lamson. Jota (De Falla)—with Piano accomp. by Michael Rauchselsen.
3.45 Closing Local Stock Quotations.
3.45 London Relay—'Lucky Dip.' 'Thirty-Fourth Edition.'
7.30 Excerpts from Gilbert and Sullivan.
'Iolanthe'—Overture—Symphony Orchestra, cond. by Dr. Malcolm Sargent.
'Patience'—Twenty Love-sick Maidens We—Nellie Brierrcliffe; Rita Mackay and Chorus of Girls. Love is a Plaintive Song—Winifred Lawson (Soprano). So Go To Him—Bertha Lewis and George Baker. It's Clear That Medieval Art—D. Oldham, M. Green, and D. Fancourt. If Saphir I Choose to Marry—D. Oldham, M. Green, D. Fancourt, M. Eyre, N. Brierrcliffe. When I Go Out of Door—G. Baker and L. Rands. I'm a Waterloo House Young Man—Leslie Rands and Chorus of Girls. Finale, Act 2—Full Company.
8.30 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and announcements.
8.35 Ballet Suite 'Jeux D'Enfants' Op. 22.
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2.30—Just Pooling, with BBC Variety Orchestra (D1)
3.30—Pianoforte Recital by Robert South (D1)
3.45—London Log (D1)
4.00—The News (D1)
4.15—Music by Contemporary British Composers BBC Military Band (D1)
4.45—Sports News and Market Notes (D1)
6.45—'Lucky Dip.' Music, Sport, Comedy, and other popular features. Music under direction of Jack Clarke (D2)
7.30—'The Three Tools of Death' A Father Brown story by G. E. Chesterton (D2)
8.00—Alfred Van Dam and his Orchestra (D2)
9.00—Charles Enesco and his Quintet, with Webster Booth (D2)
9.15—The News (D2)
9.30—London Log (D2)
9.45—Sports News and Stock Exchange Report (D2)
10.00—Tunes for Everybody, BBC Scottish Orchestra (D3)
10.30—H. Robinson Cleaver, at Organ of Granada Cinema (D3)
11.00—Syd Walker in 'Mr. Walker Wonders' (D3)
12.00—The News (D3)

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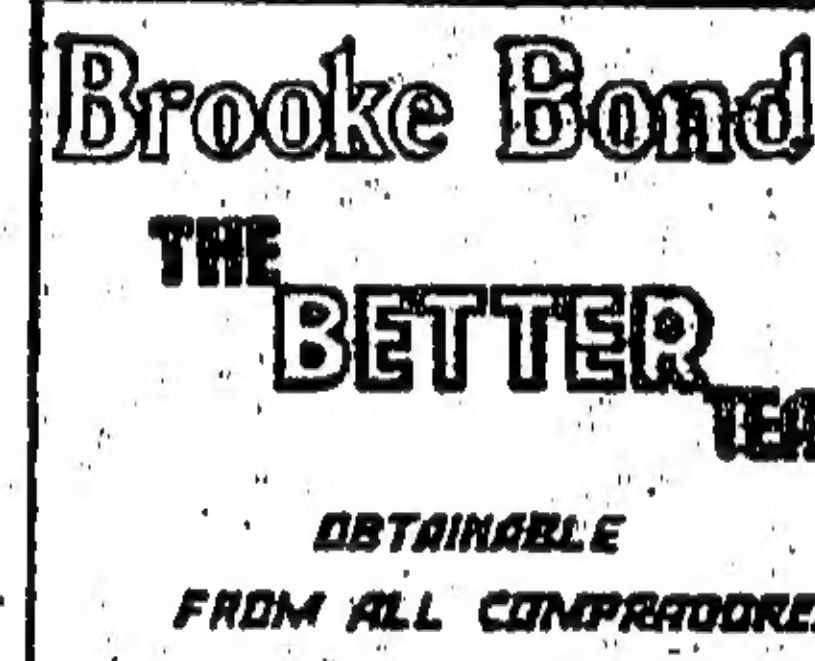
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"No, no. This is something really important. I did the fourteenth in one yesterday. A blow in a million! The swipes to and all swipes!"
"But I don't understand. You look as fit as the proverbial Stradivarius. How does it come?"
"Celebrations? There's been nothing like it since the Relief of Minsk."

"Perhaps I'm dense, but I still don't understand. Forgive my bluntness, but where's the hanger?"
"Hanger? Haven't you heard? There aren't any nowadays. You just drink Gimlet, or take a long glass of Rose's Lime Juice after the jamboree. It's just a question of therapeutic action as a doctor once described it to me."
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"Really and truly. You know, old boy, you ought to keep a bottle of Rose's in your locker. Some day even you may do a hole in one!"

Kowloon Tong Robbery Recalled At Sessions: Accused Pleads Guilty

An attack on Mrs. Emily Wood, wife of Capt. Wood, of the Swatow Pilotage Service, by a handbag snatcher in Waterloo Road, Kowloon Tong, on August 21 was recalled when Chan Hoi, 28-year-old unemployed, was charged at the Criminal Sessions yesterday with robbery with violence.

Accused was alleged to have slapped Mrs. Wood and to have used pepper in his effort to snatch Mrs. Wood's bag.

"I didn't use force, though I did snatch the bag," said Chan.

When it was pointed out to him that the violence indicated the slapping and the use of pepper, he pleaded guilty.

Sentence of two years' hard labour was passed.

PLEAD GUILTY

Choy Chun and Fong Cheuk pleaded guilty to the charge of robbery at No. 5 Catchick Street on June 15. In the robbery, a married woman, Fung Sam, lost \$115, a wrist watch, a gold ring and a jade pin.

The first accused was sentenced to three years' hard labour and 12 strokes of the cane, his state of health not permitting the imposition of a flogging, but second accused was given 12 strokes of the cane in addition to a prison term of two years and nine months.

The third accused in the case, Chiu Pak-shui, was stated to be in hospital suffering from typhoid fever, and the case against him was therefore adjourned to the next Criminal Sessions.

FIVE YEARS' GAOL

Wong Wun-cheung, alias Wong Yu-kwong, who was charged on two counts of armed highway robbery, unlawful possession of arms and ammunition and returning from banishment, pleaded guilty to all charges, and was sentenced to five years' hard labour and 18 strokes of the cane.

Accused had six previous convictions, of which two were for breaches of the Deportations Ordinance.

Yeung Wai-bun, Cheung Cheuk-wah and Chan Kwong, who pleaded guilty to robbery and unlawful possession of arms and ammunition, were each sentenced to four years' hard labour, three years on the first count and one year on the second count.

POSSESSION OF DANGEROUS DRUGS CASES

A young Chinese, named Li Kwai, who pleaded guilty at the Criminal Sessions yesterday to a charge of unlawful possession of dangerous drugs, was sentenced by the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, to three years' hard labour.

Lau Yee also pleaded guilty to a similar offence, but sentence was deferred in his case.

Seventeen others, including two women and three girls, also appeared on similar charges. Three pleaded guilty, punishment in their case being postponed, while the others pleaded not guilty and will be tried next week.

AIRPORT NEWS

Imperial Airways:
NORTHBOUND
Monday: Bangkok, Hanoi, Hongkong.
Della—4 p.m.

SOUTHBOUND
Wednesday: Hanoi, Bangkok, Dardanus—7 a.m.
Air France:

NORTHBOUND
Wednesday: France, Hanoi, Hongkong.
Service—noon.

SOUTHBOUND
Wednesday: Hanoi, France.
Service—1.30 p.m. (same day).

Pan American Airways:
EASTBOUND
Wednesday: U.S.A., Manila, Hongkong.
California Clipper—2 p.m.

WESTBOUND
Thursday: Manila, U.S.A.
California Clipper—8.30 a.m.

Note: The Imperial Airways' inward weekly service due in Hongkong this Sunday will be twenty-four hours late, due to a delay on the main Empire route. The service is reported to be arriving at Kai Tak on Monday afternoon with mail and passengers.

INCREASE IN WAR RISK INSURANCE

A largely attended meeting of exporters interested in the sundries trade with the British West Indies, Africa and Australasia was held in the offices of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon to discuss the effect of increases in freight rates and war risk insurance charges.

It was unanimously agreed that all future export business would be done on the terms that contracts should stipulate that all war risk insurance and fluctuations in freight charges, as well as deviation charges, will be for buyer's account. Shipment will be subject to space being available. Contracts will be amended accordingly.

CINEMA CLAIM ADJOURNED

Theatre Manager's
Denial

Giving evidence in the case in which the Hongkong and Kowloon Theatre Co., Ltd., is suing India Products Co. for \$390 for rental of the Majestic Theatre for Sunday morning performances, Mr. C. Goldin, manager of the Theatre, denied that there had been any agreement on the terms alleged by the defendant.

The case arose as the result of a contract made by the defendants for the hire of the Majestic Theatre for 17 Sundays at \$55 per Sunday.

In the course of his evidence, Mr. Goldin further stated that he realised that Singh's purpose in suggesting a revised contract was to prevent the theatre being used by a third party.

Mr. Leong Ki Ho, Managing Director of the Hongkong and Kowloon Theatre Co., Ltd., said that he had been in the theatre business for many years.

NO AUTHORITY

He also stated that Mr. Goldin had no authority to enter into contracts for the theatre without consulting him, and that in this case, Mr. Goldin had consulted him in the matter.

In addressing the court Mr. Hodgson, on behalf of the plaintiff, said that Mr. Goldin, wishing to help the defendant, had agreed to make a reduction in the rental on the basis of an altered contract, and had reduced the amount to \$25 per Sunday, after consultation with Mr. Leong.

Before Mr. M. A. Silva started his address to the court, his Lordship said that he was unable to continue that afternoon and the case adjourned till 11 a.m. to-day.

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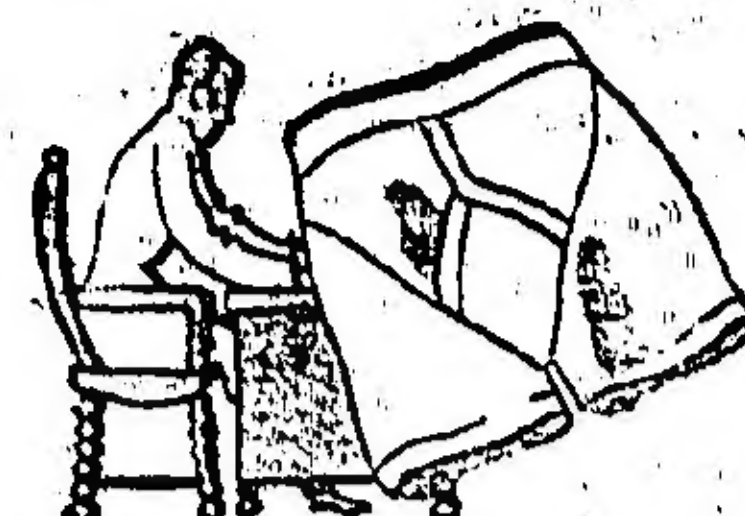
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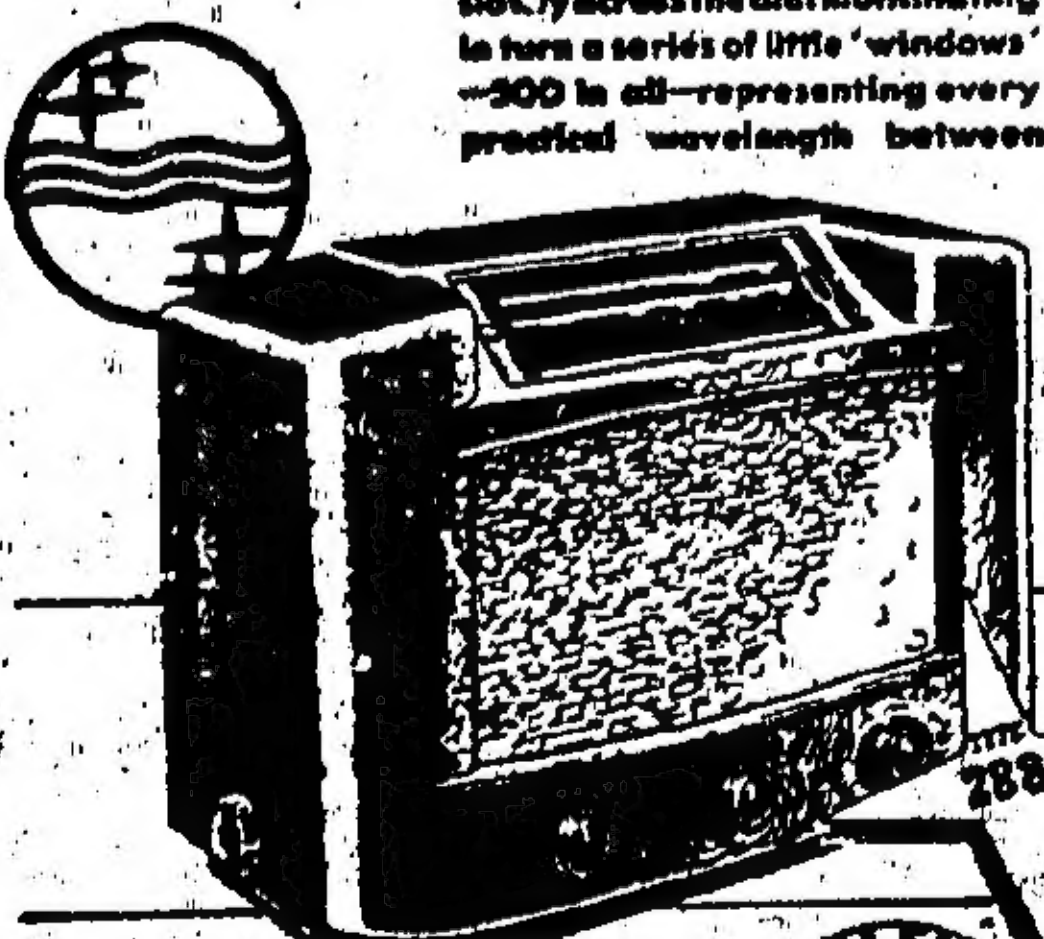
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "RANPURA"

Sailed from London on August 11th, 1939.

The above-mentioned vessel's cargo, which was landed at Colombo at the risk and responsibility of shippers when the vessel was requisitioned by H.M. Government, will be loaded onto the P. & O. s.s. "BHUTAN" for oncarriage to destination. The s.s. "BHUTAN" will leave Colombo on or about the 18th instant and should reach Hong Kong about the 1st of October.

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DEATH FROM THE AIR

THE BOMBINGS of large cities in China and Spain during the past few years have made clear to the peoples of the world just what they are to expect should hostile aircraft appear over their homes.

THEY KNOW THAT, sooner or later in the game, the morale of civilian populations behind the lines will become a "military objective," and that this objective will be themselves, their wives, and their children. They know, also, that in spite of this, large numbers of them will not be able to evacuate but will have to carry on as before the daily work of a nation.

HOW CAN BOMBING LOSSES be minimised? What form of A.R.P. is the most effective? These questions are now of immediate interest and importance to every citizen.

SPEAKING GENERALLY, it may be maintained that the chief danger in assaults from the air lies, at any rate in large cities, in the effects of high explosive. Of gas, and bacterial attacks we have had very little experience, but the fact that they were not used over urban areas in the Chinese and Spanish wars, and have not been widely employed in this way in Poland, shows that very serious difficulties lie in the way of their employment.

AERIAL BOMBS may be broadly classified under two headings—the "fragmentation" and "demolition" types. The fragmentation bomb, as

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Mrs. C. S. Dodd, Messrs. V. R. and J. Dodd wish to express their sincerest thanks to all friends for their attendance at the funeral of Miss Pansy Dodd, for the floral tributes and letters of condolence.

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its name indicates, depends for its effect mainly on the killing power of thousands of minute pieces of metal which spread over a wide area. These bombs, in modern warfare, are little used in urban areas. They are extremely effective, however, against troops on the march, especially when they are trapped in narrow roads. Light in weight a large number can be carried by a single machine. They have been perfected until they explode in an absolutely horizontal direction—which means that the merely falling on his face and hugging the ground will not save a man from being slashed to ribbons by their fragments.

THE BOMBS USED over cities are of the demolition type, designed to destroy buildings and fortifications. They are of great weight and act by detonation or air-blast and their aim is to reduce structures rather than to kill. Their lethal effect is terrific but can be escaped by properly built shelters.

THE EXPERIENCE OF BARCELONA has shown that deep shelters, dug scores, or even hundreds, of feet below the street level offer ideal protection against all types of bombs providing for every contingency including a direct hit. Because of the great expense involved there are very few places in the world adequately equipped with such shelters. Instead, small garden dug-outs and specially reinforced cellars and rooms are recommended. These cannot, of course, stand either a direct hit or an H.E. bomb falling very close, but they do keep off splinters and minimise concussion.

NEXT TO THE ELABORATE, all but impregnable, deep-shaft shelter, the greatest measure of safety is offered by what is perhaps the simplest of all funk-holes, the lowly slit-trench to which soldiers trust their lives in artillery bombardments much heavier than the heaviest of aerial bombings. Such a trench, six feet long and six feet deep by perhaps four feet across, if equipped with a splinter-proof cover, consisting of boards and one layer of sandbags, not only offers the smallest possible target but also defends against horizontal blast. It is far better than makeshift dug-outs of heavier structure, because it does all that they can do without the risk that their occupants run in case of collapse.

ESPECIALLY in the jerry-built slum areas of the great cities, the incendiary bomb is a diabolical menace. The modern thermite bomb, throwing out thousands of molten fragments each capable of igniting anything with which it comes into contact is a hard enemy to fight. Water and the ordinary fire-extinguisher compounds are useless against this chemical flame. It must be tackled with sand before it has had a chance to spread—a difficult business in the midst of an air raid. General fire-control is the best way to keep this horror in check—the demolition of highly inflammable structures and clearing of fire-lanes to minimise the chance of any one conflagration spreading to a large area.

H.E. the Governor will unveil a plaque in the Common Room at Morrison Hall on Sept. 23, at 5.30 p.m. to commemorate the gift to the Hostel of the East Wing by the late Rev. T. W. Pearce, O.B.E., LL.D. The ceremony will be preceded by a short service of dedication in the new chapel at 4.45 p.m. The chapel will thereafter be known as "The Pearce Memorial Chapel."

VOLUNTEER ORDERS

ORDERS BY LT.-COL. H. B. ROSE, M.C. COMMANDANT.
HONGKONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS

ORDERLY MEDICAL OFFICER
Thursday, Sept. 21, H.Q. 5.30 p.m.
Lt. J. S. H. Stout.

APPOINTMENT
Extract from Government Gazette No. 50 of 8.9.39.

No. 767—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the following appointment in the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, with effect from Aug. 18, 1939.—Mr. Walter Charles Clark, to be Lieutenant, Sept. 8, 1939.

PAY & OTHER DUTIES COURSE
Sept. 22, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Those detailed from Units.

PARADES
Corps Artillery, Sept. 16: Full manning of four batteries—1st and 2nd Btys. H.Q. 3 p.m.; 3rd Bty. Queen's Pier, 2.45 p.m.; 4th Bty. Queen's Pier, 3.15 p.m.

It is expected that all will be back in Hongkong by 10 p.m. Dress—Helmets, shirts and shorts, boots and puttees, webbing belts, water bottle filled (gun platform shoes and overalls will be worn).

Sept. 23, H.Q. 2.15 p.m. Full manning of the four batteries. Dress—Helmets, jackets, trousers, boots, webbing equip. complete (belt, braces, pouches, haversacks, water bottle filled), great coat, overalls and gun platform shoes (to be carried). Washing kit, knife, fork, spoon, plate, mug, tin opener, shorts (to be carried in haversack). The exercise will end at 12 noon Sunday, Sept. 24.

Sept. 20, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Recruits.

1st Battery
Gun Detachments: Sept. 19: Belchers, 5.30 p.m. No. 1 Detachment, Layers and D.R.F. Class. Instruction in laying, passing ranges and acknowledgment of those orders. Dress—S.D. shirts, shorts and gun platform shoes.

Sept. 22, No parade.

D.E.L. Personnel: Sept. 20, Scandal Point, 5.30 p.m. Mobile light training. Dress—Overalls.

2nd Battery
Layers' Examinations: Sept. 18. All layers under training to attend. Gun Detachments & A.A.L.M.G.: Sept. 20, Scandal Point, 5.30 p.m. Gun drill and D.R.F. instruction. No. 2 Gun Detachment, A.A.L.M.G. training. Those detailed to attend.

Sept. 21, Scandal Point, 5.30 p.m. Gun drill and D.R.F. instruction. No. 1 Gun Detachment, A.A.L.M.G. training. Those detailed to attend.

D.E.L. Detachment: Sept. 20 and 21, Scandal Point, 5.30 p.m. Mobile light training.

Dress: Overalls and S.D. caps. Uniform: Sept. 19, H.Q. M.C. Store. Complete drawing of equipment and fitting of respirators.

3rd Battery
Sept. 18, Belchers, 5.30 p.m. Gun Detachments. L.G., D.R.F. and telephonists. Dress—Overalls, S.D. caps, G.P. shoes. All those taking the telephony course must attend this parade.

Sept. 19, Wellington Barracks, 5.30 p.m. D.E.L. personnel.

Sept. 21, Belchers, 5.30 p.m. Gun Detachments. L.G., D.R.F. and layers. Dress—Overalls, S.D. caps, G.P. shoes. All those taking the special layers' course must attend this parade.

Sept. 22, No parade for D.E.L. personnel.

4th Battery
There will be no parade except as detailed in para. 4 (a) above.

5th Battery
As detailed by O.C. Battery.

Field Company Engineers
Sept. 18, Kowloon Railway Station, 5.30 p.m. Arms drill and musketry.

Sept. 21: (1) Class A. H.Q. 5.15 p.m. 1/c No. 1 Party—Sgt. Spary. 1/c No. 2 Party—Sgt. Casey. Dress—Overalls and S.D. caps. (II) Class B. K.C.R. 5.30 p.m. Electrical testing. (III) Class C. K.C.R. 5.30 p.m. Demolitions.

Beach Light Company
Sept. 18, H.Q. 5.45 p.m. Fitting of respirators and web equipment. All web equipment will be returned to Company Office at this parade.

Sept. 22, H.Q. 5 p.m. Beach Manning. Dress—As detailed.

Corps Signals
Sept. 16, H.Q. 2 p.m. Line Section under Cpl. Hirst. Manning exercise.

Sept. 17, Line and D/R Sections. H.Q. 9 a.m. for Peak Range.

Sept. 18: (I) Line and Operating Section H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Signal training in sections. (II) D/Rs. H.Q. 5.15 p.m. for Kennedy Road Range. Revolver firing.

Sept. 20, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. N.C.O.'s and Others as detailed. Instruction.

Sept. 22, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. (I) Lewis gun instruction. (II) W/T instruction.

Armoured Car Platoon
Sept. 18, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. M.C. instruction.

Sept. 22, Hung Hom Railway Depot. 5.30 p.m. Driving parade.

Motor Machine Gun Platoon
Sept. 17, H.Q. 8.45 a.m. for Kennedy Road Range. Those detailed. Part I M.G. Course. Dress—Muff. Sept. 18, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. M.G. instruction. Dress—Muff.

Sept. 22: (I) Those detailed. Hung Hom Railway Depot. 5.30 p.m. Riding practice. (II) Remainder. H.Q. 5.30 p.m. instruction.

No. 1 M.G. Company
Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Platoons: Sept. 18, H.Q. 2.15 p.m. Manning Exercise.

Sept. 19, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Nos. 1 and 2 Platoons. Recaptulation parade.

As revised Company programme.

No. 4 (Troop) Platoon
Sept. 18, H.Q. 2.15 p.m. Manning Exercise.

No. 2 M.G. Company
Sept. 19 and 21: Kowloon Dock, 5.30 p.m. No. 6 Platoon. Rifle and L.G. training.

Sept. 20, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. N.C.O.'s course. Practical instruction on area.

Sept. 20 and 21: H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Remainder. M.G. and L.G. training.

No. 3 M.G. Company
Sept. 18, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Nos. 9 and 11 Platoons and all Recruits. L.G. and M.G. instruction.

Sept. 21, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Nos. 10 and 12 Platoons and all Recruits. M.G. instruction.

No. 4 M.G. Company
Sept. 20, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Company parade.

Sept. 22, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. N.C.O.'s, etc. L.G. instruction.

Sept. 24, Stonecutters. Rifle Table B. Those detailed.

No. 5 M.G. Company
Sept. 19, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. (I) Class A. Lecture on indirect fire. (II) Class B. I.A. (III) Class C. Those detailed. Miniature Range. (IV) Recruits will be fitted as from 5 p.m.

September 20, H.Q. Miniature Range. 5.30 p.m. Class C. Musketry.

Anti-Aircraft Company
Sept. 19, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Trained men. Revision L.G. Recruits. Musketry.

Sept. 24, Kennedy Road Range. 10 a.m. Recruits. Those detailed. Range Officer—Lt. F. V. V. Ribeiro.

Air Arm
Sept. 18, Kai Tak, 6 p.m. Lecture. Army Service Corps Company

Sept. 19, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Recruits. Field Ambulance

September 20, H.Q. 5.10 p.m. All those who have not been measured or fitted for uniform will attend. Remainder parade at the Old Ambulance Parade Ground at 5.30 p.m. Dress—S.D. caps, jackets, trousers, webbing belt, boots.

Sept. 22, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. N.C.O.'s class.

Pay Section
Sept. 22, H.Q. 5.30 p.m. Dress—S.D. caps, jackets, trousers, webbing belts, black boots.

CORPS ORDERS—AMENDMENT
Corps Orders No. 35/39 dated 1.9.39, para. 14 and para. 15. No. 3863 Pte. M. S. Banner joined No. 1 M.G. Coy. and not the unit stated.

Corps Orders No. 36/39 of 8.9.39. Para. 6. Leave: The period "28.9.39-6.11.39" granted to Gnr. S.R. Kerr, 2nd Bty. is not cancelled.

Para. 8. Strength-Increase. For "No. 4081 Pte. M. A. Rehman, Field Ambulance" read "No. 4081 Pte. U. A. Rehman, Field Ambulance."

APPOINTMENTS & PROMOTIONS
8.9.39. 3rd Bty.: Sgt. W. L. Walker to be B.S.M.

15.9.39. 3rd Bty.: Gnr. P. F. dos S. Xavier to be Bdr.; L/Bdr. A. M. Wahab to be Bdr.; Gnr. M. Zaman, A. C. Xavier and J. C. Guingam all to be L/Bdr.

8.9.39. 4th Bty.: L/Sgt. J. A. Delgado to be B.Q.M.S.

1.9.39. Armcd. C. Pl.: Cpl. G. E. R. Divett and A. I. Cash to be Sgt. L/C J. H. Fox to be Cpl.; Pte. N. L. White to be L/Cpl.

15.9.39. No. 3 M.G. Coy.: Cpl. G. J. White to be L/Sgt.; L/Cpl. W. T. Knox to be A/Cpl.; Ptes. F. A. Broadbridge and K. C. Hung to be L/Cpl.

TRANSFER
Pte. W. E. Grieve from No. 1 M.G. Coy. No. 4 (Troop) Pn. to Unit Res., 1.4.39.

Sgt. J. J. King from Corps Sig. Res. to Corps Sigs., 15.9.39.

L/Sgt. A. H. Dinneen from 1st Bty. to 4th Bty., 15.9.39.

Piper W. K. Mackie from Pipe Band, No. 2 M.G. Coy. to No. 6 (K.D.) Pl. No. 2 M.G. Coy., 15.9.39.

Gnr. S. K. Lal from 4th Bty. Res. to 4th Bty., 15.9.39.

Pte. B. A. Maher from No. 2 M.G. Coy. to Field Coy. Eng., 15.9.39.

LEAVE
Pte. W. E. Grieve, No. 1 M.G. Coy. No. 4 (Troop) Pl., 1.4.39 to 31.3.40; Pte. W. K. Mackie, No. 2 M.G. Coy., 17.8.39 to 17.10.39; Gnr. W. Kong, 4th Bty., 5.9.39 to 4.12.39; Gnr. W. Luke, 3rd Bty., 11.9.39 to 10.10.39.

The following leave granted before is now cancelled—Pte. R. B. Taylor, No. 2 M.G. Coy., 13.9.39 to

SHORT-LIVED BOOM ON H.K. STOCK MARKET

The boom experienced on the local stock market on Thursday was rather short-lived, for reaction set in yesterday and little business was done though prices generally were fairly well maintained.

The undertone of the market is healthy, and opinion amongst brokers and reliable investors is that the market is likely to show further advance in the near future.

PRICES STILL LOW

Prices of nearly all local stocks are still low enough, in relation to dividend payments for the last financial year, that returns from investment are sufficiently attractive, ranging from five to 15 per cent.

The feeling exists that, with the stoppage of transaction in New York, London and other foreign stocks and commodities owing to the restrictions that have been placed on dealings in foreign exchange and gold, interest will again be concentrated on Ice House Street.

BANISHEES GAOLED AT SESSIONS

Three returned banishees were sent to prison by the Chief Justice, Sir Abhihi MacGregor, at the Criminal Sessions yesterday. Cheung Fat, alias Ho Wah-hing, who had been banished for life and who had 13 previous convictions, including seven for breaches of the Deportations Ordinance, was sentenced to three years' hard labour.

Tam On, who had eight previous convictions, four of which were for breaches of the Deportations Ordinance, was sentenced to two years, while Man Man, who had six previous convictions with four breaches of the Deportations Ordinance, was given 18 months' hard labour.

BRITISH TROOPS STILL AT N.T.

The military authorities desire to point out that the New Territories frontier is still occupied by British troops, and the general public is not allowed past the British posts. There are very few Japanese troops on the Chinese side of the border, and the situation is stated to be quiet.

ACCIDENTAL

With reference to the shooting incident at the Naval Dockyard reported in our yesterday's issue, the Naval authorities inform us that the shot was fired accidentally.

STRENGTH-DECREASE

Pte. T. Lindars, A.S.C. Company, 22.8.39.

STRENGTH-INCREASE

Spr. M. G. Krivor, Field Coy. Eng., 31.8.39; Spr. E. Litvin, Field Coy. Eng., 1.9.39; Pte. A. E. Fisher, and Pte. Ramon Ho, Field Amb., 8.9.39; Pte. R. Bluestone, No. 1 M.G. Coy., 8.9.39; Gnr. A. Lock, 3rd Bty., 9.9.39; Spr. S. Semenuck, Field Coy. Eng., 9.9.39; Spr. W. Duffield, Field Coy. Eng., 11.9.39; Pte. C. G. M. Morrison, No. 1 M.G. Coy., 12.9.39; Gnr. A. Alladin, 3rd Bty., 13.9.39; Gnr. F. M. Poon, 4th Bty., 13.9.39; Gnr. J. Young, 3rd Bty., 13.9.39; Pte. G. White, No. 3 M.G. Coy., 28.8.39; Spr. V. D. Rumanjanz, Field Coy. Eng., 31.8.39; Spr. J. Frenkel, Field Coy. Eng., 7.9.39; Pte. S. L. Cheung, No. 3 M.G. Coy., 13.9.39; Spr. A. Venshou, Field Coy. Eng., 14.9.39; Ptes. G. T. Anderson, R. L. Barkus, J. C. Brown, A. M. Calman, H. G. Cooper, M. Ferguson, W. Greig, G. Henderson, W. Houston, J. McPherson, C. E. Millard, A. E. Pearson, J. A. B. Randle and A. H. S. Skinn, No. 2 M.G. Coy., No. 6 Pl., 14.9.39; Ptes. H. J. Hicks and T. A. Johnston, No. 3 M.G. Coy., 14.9.39; Pte. V. V. Macdonnell, A.S.C. Coy., 14.9.39; Pte. B. Hallstone, No. 1 M.G. Coy., 6.9.39; Ptes. F. W. Calderara and H. E. Zulauf, No. 1 M.G. Coy., 15.9.39.

E. N. THURSBY, Captain, Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps.

AFFILIATED UNIT

Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C. The next lecture on First Aid will be given on Friday, Sept. 22 in the P.W.D. Offices at 5.30 p.m.

Strength-Increase: Miss J. A. Mitchell, 5.9.39; Mrs. M. M. Richards, 6.9.39.

Strength-Decrease: Mrs. O. A. Grey, Mrs. A. Clark, Miss C. Almon, Mrs. H. R. Henderson and Mrs. M. W. McGrath, 15.9.39.

(Sgd.) MRS. E. M. BEGG, Commandant, Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

Hello & Goodbye

(BY A. W. HYER)

The ships and airlines making Hongkong port are settling down to wartime procedure. New rules and regulations regarding cargoes, water and air courses, various adjustments to craft, are taken in stride by the "skippers" and crews as they go about their business.

There is no great noticeable decrease in passenger lists, many people on various missions travelling about the oceans and air lanes.

However, the P. & O. arrivals and well-populated sailing parties are missed, though it will be a great day down on the shipping piers when the s.s. Viceroy of India puts into port on September 27 from England.

Pan American Airways

CHIEF PILOT of the Pacific Division, Capt. J. H. Tilton, supervised the China Clipper's arrival on Thursday at 4.35 p.m. from Honolulu. The Senior Captain had just returned from the last survey flight to Auckland, New Zealand, from San Francisco, which service, by the way, commences on October 1, for mail.

Mr. Edward Pawley, almost a duplicate of his well-known brother now in the United States, and head of Inter-Continental Corporation, came flying across the Pacific from America on a business trip. This gentleman is an executive in his brother's firm.

And there was that gay Mr. Brock A. Park, again. An executive in the American International Underwriters concern, it was only the clipper before this that he was round tripping to Manila. This call was one of those passing through "hit-and-miss" visits, as he sailed for several weeks of visiting in Shanghai on Friday at 2 a.m. by the Empress of Asia.

Another short-time caller from Manila is Mr. D. Cook, the Manila No. 1 in S. E. Levy & Co. He arrived with bulging suitcase and a gay smile, but it is all business. The investment expert is due to leave for home this morning in the President Coolidge.

On the last leg of a round-the-world journey, so to speak, are Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Guizar, of Bombay. The flight from Manila did not appear to agree with this small, delicate lady traveller, who seemed upset on her arrival. Now, however, they are looking forward to returning home after a highly interesting world excursion.

Dr. C. T. Wang returned after a very busy and hectic short stay in Manila, where he opened the Bank of Communications and was royally entertained by the local residents of the south.

And Mr. Hugo Classen, one of Hongkong's own, came flying back from a business call in Manila.

Friday Departure

ON FRIDAY AT 8.45 A.M. Capt. Tilton was away from Kai Tak with many roars from the China Clipper's engines!

Swinging from crutches and set for a clipper trip across the Pacific to San Francisco, was Mr. William L. Bond, of China National Aviation Corporation. The Operations Chief of the Hongkong and North China airline is bound on a business and holiday visit of a few months in the United States. If you remember Mr. Bond recently was mixed up in an air raid in China.

The exotic-appearing Miss Norma Prince was a passenger bound for San Francisco. This young lady with the redish locks arrived on Imperial Airways last week from India, where her round-the-world freighter journey was interrupted by the outbreak of war in Europe.

Down to Manila and reunion with the first lady of his family, clipped Mr. Harold A. Sweet, one of C.N.A.C.'s great big captains. The visit will be a short holiday and it is hoped the "Mrs." will be returning with him.

One of Marsman Ltd.'s engineers, Mr. J. H. W. Howie, stationed in the local branch office, was flying south to Manila on a business call.

And Major and Mrs. D. T. Boisseau returned home to Manila after a week of visiting and inspecting this Hongkong.

Empress of Asia

OUR SLEUTHS says that on Friday, at 2 a.m., the Empress of Asia, in a new coat of grey paint, slipped out of the harbour on the homeward voyage to Vancouver via northern ports.

Gone, but, indeed, not forgotten, and only for a few months, is Mr. I. W. Lang, connected with the Passenger Department in the local Canadian Pacific S.S. Co.'s office. This representative is bound for Yokohama and a usual business inspection tour.

Back to Shanghai, his office and hearth departed, Mr. George Haynes, of National Cash Register

Co. No doubt he will be calling by soon again, it almost means a commuter's ticket for the genial executive!

Surg. Commander P. G. Burgess, held a ticket for Vancouver, a trip across Canada via rail to Montreal and another steamship ticket across the Atlantic Ocean, but, unfortunately, we could not locate this lucky gentleman. If he was about, he was certainly quiet the evening before his departure.

GERMAN APPREHENSION OF FRENCH PROGRESS ON THE WESTERN FRONT

PARIS, SEPT. 15 (REUTER).—THE FRENCH ARMY SAYS THAT YESTERDAY'S TROOPS IN THE SAAR AREA MADE GAINS OF A MILE DEPTH ON THE 12-MILE FRONT.

In Paris official circles the German action of blowing up the Trier-Metz Railway, near the Luxembourg frontier, is taken to indicate the apprehension of the German High Command over the French progress on the Western Front.

A war communique records "local advances, in the course of which we took some prisoners."

OFFENSIVE LAUNCHED:

BRUSSELS, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The French launched an offensive in the afternoon near Perl, in the Moselle District, at the extreme west of the Franco-German frontier.

Watchers on the Luxembourg side of the frontier saw the French tanks move into action after heavy artillery preparation.

ROAR OF BATTLE:

The German outposts were compelled to withdraw and engineers blew up a railway line to stem the advance.

The 'roar of the battle could be heard' as far as the city of Luxembourg and the authorities immediately ordered the evacuation of Schengen, at the southernmost tip of Luxembourg.

PARIS, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The French forces operating in the Saar region have taken up their positions on a row of hills, south and south-east of Saarbrücken. The advance continued despite a heavy German artillery barrage on the French lines of communication.

MAGINOT LINE

French artillery on the Maginot Line are answering the German fire, while French war planes yesterday bombed the heavy concentrations of German artillery behind the Siegfried line which have been rushed to the area in the last few days.

The French regard this reinforcement of German artillery as a sign that the Germans feel that the French operations are no longer an advance of the outposts, but a threat to the Nazis western wall.

WARSAW DEFENCE CONTINUED

BRUSSELS, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—According to news from Belgian sources in Warsaw, the recapture of Lodz has greatly heartened the Polish population. The defence of the capital is continuing with renewed enthusiasm and encouraging measures are coming from various other fronts where it is claimed the Poles have now taken the initiative.

Those who have examined the Warsaw battlefield report that the German suffered great losses during their withdrawal.

THOUSANDS OF DEAD

According to the correspondent of the "Independence Belge," they left thousands of dead and many prisoners.

JAPANESE ENVOY'S WIFE DESCRIBED WARSAW RAIDS

TOKYO, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The wife of Mr. Sato, the Japanese Ambassador to Poland, has sent a graphic description of the German bombing of Warsaw on the morning of September 1 when she saw 30 planes flying at a great height over the Polish capital.

A moment later dozens of bombs were dropped and Polish anti-aircraft guns replied, bringing down two German planes.

EMBASSY SHAKEN

The raid was resumed each day and on Sept. 3 the Japanese Embassy was shaken by bombs which landed on the United States Embassy only a short distance away.

On Sept. 5, officials and families of the Japanese Embassy left for Russia. Even as they left, the raids were still in progress and what appeared an endless procession of bombers filled the sky.

"Oppression" Of Russian In Poland Alleged By Communist Organ

MOSCOW, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—Allegations of "oppression" of the Russian minorities in Poland, said to amount to 11,000,000, are made by the "Pravda," the official Communist organ, which asserts that the Polish ruling circles have done everything possible to aggravate the relations with the nationals of minorities and to bring them to a state of tension.

The "Pravda" analyses the internal causes of Poland's "defeat" and says that it is difficult to explain merely by the superiority of German technique and equipment and the lack of effective assistance from Britain and France.

DISORGANIZATION

"All reports of the situation in Poland show that disorganization of the entire Polish state machine is completely increasing and it has proved so impotent and inefficient

MINISTRY OF EXPRESSION - NOT REPRESSION

LONDON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The Minister of Information, Lord Macmillan, answering criticisms in the House of Lords on the initial work in his department, said that he agreed with what had been said on all sides in the House of Commons as to the department's true function.

"It is a ministry of expression, not a ministry of repression, least of all a ministry of depression."

It would be his task to place before the peoples of Britain—before the peoples of other countries—the truth about what they were doing, thinking, and hoping.

First contacts have been made with the fighting ministries and they have assured me that they will help as far as they possibly can in the provision of news.

Arrangements have been made for the War Office to send a general staff officer of high rank who would give a confidential talk to accredited press representatives weekly.

China War:

CHINESE RECAPTURE WENHSIEN

LOYANG, Sept. 15 (Central).—After over six months' Japanese occupation, Wenhsien, important town on the north bank of the Yellow River, in Northern Honan, was restored to Chinese control on Wednesday.

The town, which had changed hands many times in the past, was lost to the Japanese last February when they launched a vigorous drive towards the Yellow River bank in an attempt to cross the stream to cut the Lunghai Railway.

Simultaneously, Tsungyichen, north-west of Wenhsien, was recaptured.

The Japanese, suffering heavy casualties, retreated in the direction of Tsinhsien, in the north-west.

PROF. ROBERTSON'S BROADCAST ON "CURRENT TOPICS"

In the course of his radio address over B.B.C. on Thursday night on "Current Topics," Prof. R. Robertson, M.A., of the Hong Kong University, referred to the address to munition workers in Germany by Field-Marshal Von Goering, the British statement regarding the basis upon which the war was to be conducted, Mr. Anthony Eden's latest broadcast speech and the Prime Minister's statement on the situation in the House of Commons.

Prof. Robertson said, in part, Goering's speech had some curious features. For, example, his remarks about the further sacrifices in standards of living which might become necessary lent point to M. Reynaud's recent estimate of German weakness on the economic front.

SOLEMN PLEDGES

In the statement regarding the basis upon which the war would be pursued, already referred to, in Mr. Eden's broadcast, it has been emphasized in the clearest of language that the time has come once and for all to resist Nazism and all that it stands for as a menace to the security of Europe.

RIGHT OR MIGHT?

Let me close by quoting a sentence which seems pretty well to sum up the issue, the wider issue, of which I have been speaking. The sentence is this: "When Right definitely yields to Might, a permanent state of insecurity results which destroys and hinders all normal functions in the life and intercourse of Nations." These words define clearly enough the present issue. Whose words are they? Adolf Hitler's.

OBITUARY

LONDON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The death is announced of Algernon Talmadge, R.A., A.R.A., R.W.A.

The death is also announced of Arthur George Walker, R.A., A.R.A., R.B.S., the well-known sculptor.

Paris reports that Turkish shipping movements have been resumed in the Mediterranean. (EWS).

ROYAL BROTHERS MEET AFTER THREE YEARS

LONDON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—Duke of Windsor was received by the King yesterday.

It was the first meeting between the Royal brothers for nearly three years.

VILE NAZI ALLEGATION DENIED

ARAB SUPPORT FOR BRITAIN

LONDON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The Ministry of Information denied reports published of reports from Germany that the support of the Arabs for the Allied cause was won by bribery.

Allegations that the most prominent Arab newspaper in Palestine had been bribed can be dismissed by drawing attention to the standing of the newspaper.

Expressions of loyalty to Britain have come from Arabs all over Palestine. Arab leaders in Gaza have expressed their determination to support the Empire and beguiling sheikhs of southern Palestine have pledged their full cooperation.

Latest Method Of Propaganda

LONDON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The Ministry of Information issued a statement yesterday afternoon to the effect that Nazi propaganda is now taking the form of threats to neutral nations. Neutrals are now being told plainly just what Germany considers neutrality and unneutrality.

CHUNGKING-H.K. AIR SERVICE TO BE RESUMED

CHUNGKING, Sept. 15 (Central).—The Chungking-Hong Kong air service which has been suspended since the outbreak of the hostilities in Europe, will shortly be resumed, according to information from the Eurasia Aviation Corporation.

BUFFER POLAND IS RUMOURED

LONDON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—A message from New York declares that Germany and Russia have agreed to form a buffer Polish State between them and not to establish a common frontier.

Poland will be allowed to retain one third to the half of the present Poland with the area around Ciacow remaining Polish.

NAZIS AND CZECH HOSTAGES

LONDON, Sept. 15 (Reuter).—The official Nazi news agency denies reports "at 400 Czechs in Bohemia and Moravia have been taken as hostages."

The agency admits, however, that a considerable number of Czechs have been taken into custody "for reasons of public safety."

Estate of \$10,800 in Hong Kong was left by the late Rev. John Keers, retired Presbyterian minister, who died at No. 33 Deramore Drive, Belfast, North Ireland, on March 23 last. An application by Mr. G. G. N. Tinson, solicitor and lawyer, for sealing certified copy of the probate of the will has been granted.

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RADIO PROGRAMMES

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London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Antal Dorati.
1.21 Excerpt from Bizet's "Carmen."
Rest thee here, while I read the letter—Piero Pauli (Tenor) and Maria Carbone (Soprano) and Chorus. Captain. It seems two girls had a sharp quarrel—Besanzoni (Mezzo-Soprano); Chorus. And now, Now let me read my Fate—Besanzoni (Mezzo-Soprano); Ferrari (Soprano); Beltracchi (Soprano). And now? The frontier we must try now to pass—Besanzoni (Mezzo-Soprano); Carbone (Soprano); Ferrari (Soprano); Beltracchi (Soprano); Pauli (Tenor); Venturini (Tenor) and Chorus.

8.38 A Light Orchestral Programme with John McCormack (Tenor).
Victoria Regina (from the Suite "The Wonder of the Flowers—Kunneke); Waltz (Gnial) (from the Suite "The Wonder of the Flowers—Kunneke); Grand Symphony Orchestra. O. Gathering Clouds (arr. Bain); Love's Secret (Blake-Bantock)—John McCormack (Tenor) with Piano.
Nights At The Ballet—Intro: Carnival (Schumann); Preamble—Les Sylphides (Chopin); Valse—Swan Lake (Tchaikovsky); Dance of the Swans; Boutique Fantasque (Rostislavsky); Danse de la Fee Dragée; Bolero (Ravel)—Symphony Orchestra. cond. by Walter Goehr. In Sweet Content (Sanderson); Ever In My Mind (Mind (Taylor-Russell)—John McCormack (Tenor) with Piano.
Dearest Love ("Operetta"—Noel Coward); Hey Gypsy, Play Gypsy ("Countess Maritz"—Kalan)—Leslie Jeffries and His Orch.

9.13 Local Sport Results.
9.15 London Relay—The News.
9.30 A Programme of Variety and Dance Music.
Slow Fox-Trot—Here's To Romance (from the film); Quickstep—Midnight In Paris (film) (here's To Romance); Mantovani and His Typica Orch. with Vocal Rumbas—Parewell, Sweet Senorita; You've Got The Wrong Rumba (from "This'll make you whistle"); Don Miguel and His Cuban Music. Fox-Trots—She Shall Have Music (film same); From One Minute To Another (film) (Come out of the Fantasy)—Louis Levy and His Orchestra.
British Symphony. Vocal—About Midnight (Mills, Hill)—The Mills Brothers (Four Boys and a Guitar). Fox-Trots—Every Minute Of The Hour; All My Life (film) (Laughing Irish Eyes)—Ted Plo Rito and His Orchestra. Waltz—Symphony. Fox-Trot—Old Ship Of Mine—Cassini Club Orchestra. Fox-Trot—Meet The Boys; Sammy Saxophone—Scott Wood and His Six Swingers. Vocal—Love, Come Back To Me (from "New Moon"); Rose Marie (from same)—Charles Kullman (Tenor) with Orchestra. Fox-Trots—Sweet Dreams Sweetheart; Page Miss Glory (from the film); Carroll Gibbons and the Savoy Hotel Orchestra. Waltz—Viennese Tears—Emil Roosz and His Salon Orch. Polka—The Hobgoblins—Walter Fox-Trot—Thanks A Million (from the film); I'm Stittin' High On A Hill Too (film) (Thanks A Million)—Paul Perry and His Orchestra. Vocal—Alice Delysia Memories—Intro: If You Could Care for Me; Nino; I Like a Man; Please Do It Again; Sometimes when I am Far Away—Alice Delysia (Soprano) with Orchestra. Fox-Trot—Big Ship (film) (Music—Hath Charms); Waltz—My Heart of Hearts (film) (Music—Hath Charms). The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. Tangos—Hear My Song; Violette; I'd Bring The Heavens To You—Emil Roosz and His Orchestra. Fox-Trots—I'm In Love All Over Again (film) (Hooray for Love); That's What You Think (film) (King of the Spade)—Wm. O'Connor and His Orchestra. Vocal—Duet—You Can't Pull The Wool Over My Eyes (German and Others); Cheer Up (from the film)—Curtis and Ames at the Piano. Fox-Trots—I'm In the Mood for Swing; Ring Ding Bells; Lionel Hampton and Orchestra. Waltz—Kisses In The Dark; Fox-Trot—Now

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WEATHER REPORT HONGKONG ROYAL OBSERVATORY 10 a.m. Sept. 15. Barometer, (at sea level), 29.83 ins. Temperature, 85 F. Humidity, 74 per cent. Wind Direction, E. Wind Force (Beaufort), 2. Temperature; maximum yesterday, 87 F. Temperature; minimum last night, 77 F. Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th to-day, nil. Total rainfall since January 1st, 79.62 ins. Against an average of, 72.43 ins. Sunset to-night, 6.28 p.m. Sunrise to-morrow, 6.10 a.m. 4 p.m., Sept. 15. Barometer (at sea level), 29.76 ins. Temperature, 84 F. Humidity, 69 per cent. Wind Direction, N/E. Wind Force (Beaufort), 3. Maximum temperature, 88 F. Minimum temperature, 77 F. Rainfall, nil.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE From 16 to 23 Sept. 1939

Day	Date	High Water		Low Water	
		Time	Height	Time	Height
Sat.	16	11.55	8.6	6.45	2.8
Sun.	17	12.19	8.9	6.53	2.9
Mon.	18	12.36	9.0	6.58	2.9
Tues.	19	12.49	9.1	6.63	2.9
Wed.	20	13.05	9.2	6.68	2.9
Thurs.	21	13.18	9.3	6.73	2.9
Fri.	22	13.28	9.3	6.78	2.9

Marines—Selection (Kalan)—Grand Symphony Orchestra.
8.33 Alfredo Campoli and His Orchestra. Cavatina (Raff); Canzonetta (V. Ambrosio). Romance in Moonlight—Intro: Pale Moon; Pagan Love Song; In the Moonlight; Gipsy Moon; Moonlight and Roses; I love the Moon.
8.45 Studio—Talk on "Economics and Social Conditions in Germany."
9.15 London Relay—The News.
9.30 Tairtel—Concerto in D Major, Joseph Sibelius (Violin) with Orchestra.
9.45 G. D. Cunningham at the Organ. Toccata (from "Equus Bystantines—Miles); Lullaby (Wesley).
10.15 Studio—Sunday Evening Programme.
Conducted by The Very Rev. The Dean of Hong Kong.
10.35 Close down.

CATHOLIC NEWS & NOTES

EMBER DAYS: THE BLOOD OF ST. JANUARIUS: A DRESS DESIGNER ON PILGRIMAGE: A MISSIONARY COURT MUSICIAN IN PEKING

WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY OF NEXT WEEK ARE EMBER DAYS. THESE DAYS OCCUR FOUR TIMES IN THE YEAR, AND FOR THAT REASON THEY ARE ALSO CALLED "QUARTER TENSE," A CORRUPTION OF THE LATIN WORDS QUATUOR TEMPERA, "FOUR TIMES."

The word "Ember" is from an Anglo-Saxon word meaning a circuit or regularly-recurring period. The days are days of prayer, and special prayers are assigned for them in the Church History. The prayers are offered in thanksgiving for the gifts of nature of the preceding season and in petition for the needs of the coming months.

The institution of these days, year on this day and on some other fixed days during the year. The blood is contained in a hermetically sealed phial, four inches in height and two and a quarter in diameter. Normally the substance in this phial is solid and opaque, but on certain days of the year when it is brought close to some other relics of the saint, the hard substance of the blood.

In the earliest days of Christianity these days were also observed by the Christians and sacrificed with prayers of their own. Fasting was added, and there is a record of special instructions relating to the observance of the days, dating from the third century. Some time later, certainly before the fifth century, the fourth season was added.

About the same time the observance of these days was extended from Rome to the rest of the Christian world. The practice was introduced into England by St. Augustine. Finally in the eleventh century Pope Gregory XII fixed the prayers and ceremonies in connection with Ember Days, which continue to the present day.

BLOOD OF ST. JANUARIUS
Tuesday next is the feast of St. Januarius, the martyred Bishop of Beneventum and patron saint of Naples. The saint and his feast are well known because of the remarkable occurrence of the liquefaction of the blood which takes place every year.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

Sept. 17—15th Sunday After Trinity.
8 a.m. Holy Communion (Communicants' Fellowship).
8 a.m. Holy Communion in Peak Church.
11 a.m. Mattins.
Preacher: Rev. A. P. Rose.
12.15 p.m. Holy Communion.
6.30 p.m. Evensong.
Preacher: The Dean.

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

Cathedral, 10 a.m. Kindergarten and Children's Service.
Chapel of the Resurrection, Happy Valley, 10 a.m. Kindergarten and Sunday School.
Stanley Sunday School Room, 10 a.m. Kindergarten and Sunday School.

WEEKDAYS

Holy Communion is celebrated on:—
Thursday, (St. Matthew's Day) and Saturday at 7.30 a.m.
Friday at 7.45 a.m. (in Cantonese).
Wednesday, Prayers for the sick, at 10.15 a.m.

OTHER NOTICES

September 20—10.12.30 p.m. Cathedral Women's Fellowship Working Party, Cathedral Hall.
4.00 p.m. Choir Practice (Boys), Cathedral Hall.
8.00 p.m. Badminton, Cathedral Hall.
September 21—3.30 p.m. Cathedral Women's Fellowship Working Party, Cathedral Hall.
5.30 p.m. Ordination Service.
5.30 p.m. Cathedral Scouts Meeting, Cathedral Hall.
September 22—5.30 p.m. Choir Practice, Cathedral.
Please note that on and after next Sunday September 17 the time of Evensong will be 6.30 p.m.

LESSON SERMON

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, HONGKONG
ANNOUNCEMENT
SUBJECT—MATTER

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Christian Science churches to-morrow September 17 will be "Matter."
The Golden Text will be:—"My flesh and my heart faileth; but God is the strength of my heart, and my portion for ever." Ps. 73:25.

ANNOUNCEMENT

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Hongkong (a Branch of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Mass.) No. 31 Macdonnell Road, close to Peak Tram Station, Sunday Service 11.15 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m. Testimony Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. A Reading Room is located in the Church Building and is open every morning (except Sunday) from 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m., and on Tuesday and Friday evenings from 5.30 p.m. to 7 p.m. All authorized Christian Science literature is available at the Reading room. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the Reading Room.

CHRIST CHURCH

(Waterloo Road, Kowloon Tong)

Services, etc., for next week.
Sunday, Sept. 17—15th Sunday after Trinity.
7.15 a.m. Holy Communion.
9 a.m. Sunday schools and Young People's Class.
10 a.m. Choral Eucharist and sermon. Preacher the Vicar.
11 a.m. Mandarin Service.
The Sunday schools will meet at 9 a.m. in the future. Some of the children in the Senior School will go to the Young People's Class in the Church. The others will meet in Duke Street at 9 a.m.
Monday, September 18. Meeting of the Fete Committee in the Vestry at 6.00 p.m.
Wednesday, September 20. Wolf Cub Pack in No. 3 Duke Street at 4.30 p.m.
Thursday, September 21. 7.15 a.m. Holy Communion. 10 a.m. Weekly meeting of the Guild of Martha and Mary in the Vicarage flat, 100 Waterloo Road.
Friday, September 22. Full choir practice, 6 p.m.
Saturday, September 23. Blind Girls' picnic.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

Sept. 17—16th Sunday after Pentecost.
First Mass and General Communion at 8 a.m.
Second Mass at 10 a.m., followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.
Sunday School for Children at 9 p.m.
On week days, Holy Mass at 8 a.m.
Confessions are heard every day before and after Mass.
On Saturdays, the special time for Confessions is from 4.30 p.m. to 6 p.m.

ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH

The Sailors' Home and Seamen's Institute, Hongkong
CHURCH SERVICE
8 a.m. Holy Communion.
8 p.m. Evensong and Short Address.
Preacher: Rev. Charles Strong, (Chaplain).
All seafarers are invited to a Social Hour in the Officers' Lounge after the Evensong Service.
N.B.—The Church is open to the general public.

EMMANUEL MISSION CHURCH

The following are the Services at Emmanuel Mission Church, 218 Nathan Road, Kowloon:—
Sunday, 10 a.m. Service of Holy Communion; 11 a.m. Morning Service; Preacher, Rev. J.E. Morrison; 3 p.m. Sunday School Bible Classes for Young Men and Young Women; 7.30 p.m. Song Services; 8 p.m. Evening Service.
Monday, 7.30 p.m. Soldiers and Airmen's Christian Association Blackboard Meeting; 8 p.m. Bible Study Circle at 792 Nathan Road (First floor); Tuesday 2.30 p.m. Meeting for Chinese amahs; Wednesday, 8 p.m. Praise and Prayer Meeting; Thursday, 10.15 a.m. Ladies Bible Study Circle at 216 Nathan Road; Friday, 8 p.m. Bible Study Circle at Mr. Jansson's house, 3 United Terrace, Ho Man Tin Street.
All are welcome.
No collection on Sunday evening.

ST. TERESA'S CHURCH

Sept. 17—18th Sunday after Pentecost.
6.30 a.m. Holy Mass with Sermon in Chinese.
8.00 a.m. Holy Mass, Sermon in English, Novena to St. Teresa and Benediction.
10.00 a.m. Holy Mass with Sermon in English.
On Week-days, 6.30 a.m. Holy Mass, 7.00 Novena to St. Teresa with Benediction followed by second Mass.
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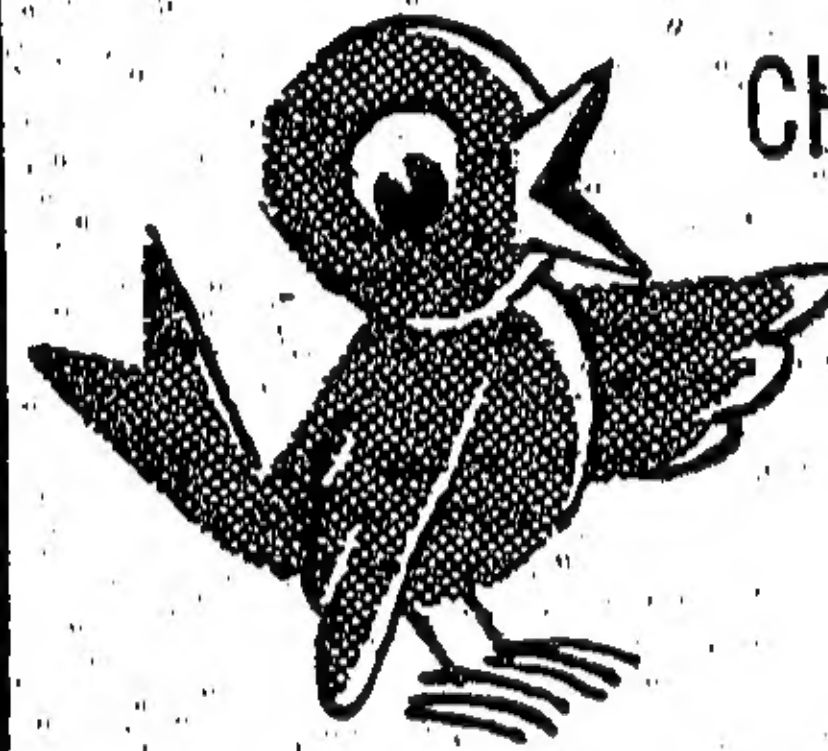


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H. K. STOCK
EXCHANGE

The market opened with a moderate enquiry and in course this became well spread over the whole range and, as at first supplies were limited, prices showed an all round improvement. General trading resulted in a moderately large turnover. Docks, Trams and Lands being the leaders. At the close the pace has slackened together with a slight recession in price levels, but there are indications bargain hunters are in the offing.

BUSINESS DONE DURING
THE WEEK

H.K. Banks, \$125.

H.K. Fire Ins., \$165.

Docks, \$16, \$16, \$16, \$19 \$19.

Providents, \$4.80.

Hotels, \$4.55, \$4.65, \$5.10.

Lands, \$30, \$30, \$31.15, \$32.

Realities, \$3, \$4, \$4.10, \$4.30 \$4.

Tramways, \$16.10, \$16.15, \$16.30.

\$16, \$16.

Star Ferries, \$59, \$61.

China Lights (O), \$7.85, \$8.10.

China Lights (N), \$5.

Electricity, \$49, \$50, \$49, \$50, \$50.

\$51, \$52, \$52.20.

Telephones (O), \$21, \$22.

Cements, \$12.60, \$13, \$14.

Dairy Farms (O), cum-div, \$20.20.

\$20.

Dairy Farms (O), ex. div, \$20.

\$20.

Watsons, \$8.50.

Entertainments, \$8.60.

BUYERS

H.K. Bank, \$1270.

Union Ins., \$365.

Providents, \$4.

H.K. Hotels, \$4.

H.K. Ropes, \$4.

SELLERS

H.K. Bank, \$1270.

Union Ins., \$400.

Providents, \$4.45.

H.K. Hotels, \$5.

Cements, \$14.

NEW LOW MARK
FOR STERLINGForeign Exchange
Disorganized

NEW YORK, Sept. 15 (Reuter)

—The Foreign Exchange Market

was disorganised as Sterling

struck a new low mark, with very

heavy general selling here and

abroad, while the British Equalisa-

tion Fund continued indifferent.

There was a straight downward

movement, until around noon,

when the day's lowest 3.77 was

witnessed; then it steadily re-

covered, however, to sentiment

and remained most confused.

FRANC ALSO DROPS

Scandinavians changed little,

indicating a divorce from the

sterling; however, traders were

not surprised since the franc is

tied to sterling rather than to the

dollar.

Another feature was the re-

appearance of the German bene-

volent mark, which had not been

quoted since Sept. 2 with to-day's

rate unchanged.

Traders said to-day that there

it was completely a sellers'

market, thus actual dealing was

very small.

DOLLAR DEMANDS

The Foreign Exchange Com-

mittee announced that any Ameri-

can demand for dollar will be

satisfied in London at the rate of

4.02; if such demand is connected

with liquidation of American owned

pre-war sterling balances or

current trade transaction with the

British Empire.

Watsons, \$8.50.

SALES

H.K. Docks, \$16.

H.K. Mines, \$16.

HONGKONG SHARE QUOTATIONS

STOCK EXCHANGE SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

FRIDAY 15. SEPT.

BANKS

H.K. Banks.....\$125

Do. (Col. Reg.).....\$271

Chartered Bank.....\$271

Maritime Bk. "A".....\$271

Maritime Bk. "C".....\$271

Bank of East Asia.....\$271

N. C. & S. Banks.....\$271

INSURANCES

Canton Insurance.....\$200

Union Insurance.....\$11

Underwriters.....\$345

H.K. Fire.....\$165

Shipping

Douglas.....\$67

Steamboats.....\$15

Indo-China (Prof.).....\$30

Indo-China (Def.).....\$30

Bells.....\$90 7/8

Waterworks.....\$8

Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.

H.K. & K. Wharves.....\$100

Provident (new).....\$4.80

H.K. & W. Docks.....\$16 1/2

Do. (new).....\$18.90

Shanghai Docks S.....\$108

New Engineering S.....\$8.30

Mining

Kailash.....\$16 3/4

Raupe.....\$3.60

Venezuela Gold Fide.....\$4

Hong Kong Hotels.....\$2 cts

Lands, Mines and

Buildings

H.K. Hotels.....\$5.10

H.K. Lands.....\$32 1/2

Do. 4% Debentures.....\$100

Shanghai Lands S.....\$4.40

H.K. Realities.....\$7.90

Humphreys.....\$7.90

Chinese Estates.....\$18

Cotton Mills

Ewo (S).....\$110

Shai Cottons (S).....\$40

Zong Sing (S).....\$40

Wing On Textiles (S).....\$16 1/2

Public Utilities

Tramways.....\$7.40

Peak Tram (old).....\$3.70

Peak Tram (new).....\$60

Star Ferries.....\$21.90

Y-mat Ferries.....\$2

Do. (new).....\$8

China Lights (O).....\$4

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

KWANGCHOWWAN, TOURANE, SAIGON & BANGKOK	"NANNING"	On 16th Sept, 9 a.m.
HAIPHONG	"TAIYUAN"	On 17th Sept, 3 p.m.
SWATOW, AMOI & SHANGHAI	"KINGYUAN"	On 18th Sept, 3 p.m.
SHANGHAI	"KWANGTUNG"	On 19th Sept, 4 p.m.
KWANGCHOWWAN		
FAKHOT, HAIPHONG	"SOOCHOW"	On 21st Sept, 11 a.m.
SHANGHAI, FAKHOT & HONGKONG	"SZOCHUEN"	On 21st Sept, 4 p.m.
KWANGCHOWWAN & HAIPHONG	"SINKIANG"	On 22nd Sept, 11 a.m.
HAIPHONG	"TSINAN"	On 22nd Sept, 3 p.m.
SINGAPORE, PT.		
SWETTHAM & PENANG	"ANKING"	On 23rd Sept, 3 p.m.
KWANGCHOWWAN & HAIPHONG	"JEAN DUPUIS"	On 26th Sept, Noon
KWANGCHOWWAN		
FAKHOT & HONGKONG	"SUIYANG"	On 29th Sept, 11 a.m.
HAIPHONG	"KINGYUAN"	On 30th Sept, 3 p.m.
SHANGHAI	"KWEIYANG"	On 30th Sept, 4 p.m.
SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN	"YOOCHOW"	On 6th Oct, 4 p.m.
W.H.W., CHEEPOO & TIENTSIN	"JEAN DUPUIS"	On 10th Oct, Noon
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LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, September 14.	
The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.	
War Loan, 3½% (Red after 1932)	83½
Canton-K'loon Ry. 5%	—
Chinese 4½% Gold Loan, 1938 (Brit. Issue)	—
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	—
Chin. 4½% Anglo-French Loan, 1908	45
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan, 1912	21
Chinese 5% Reorg. Loan, 1913 (Ldn. Is.)	33
Chinese 8% Ster. Notes, 1925 (Vickers)	8½
Chin. Imperial Ry. 5% Loan	45
Honan Ry. 5%	12
Hukwang Ry. 5%, 1911	—
Hukwang Ry. 5%, 1911 (German Issue)	—
Lung T'ing & U. Hai Ry. 5% 1913	11
S'hai-N'king Ry. 5%	12
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Brit. Stpd.)	11
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (German Stpd.)	11
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	11
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	11
Jap. 5% Ster. Loan, 1907	32
Jap. 5% Ster. Loan, 1924	41½
Ger. 7% Int. Loan, 1924	64
Chartered Bank	64
H.K. & S'hai Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	71
H.K. & S'hai Bank (Col. Reg.)	71
Chinese Eng. & Mining (bearer)	—
Chosen Corporation	—
Pekin Syndicate	—
S'hai Elec. Constr. Co.	—
S'hai Waterworks "A"	—
Union Insurance	—
Gula Kalumpung Rubber	18
Allied Ironfounders	16
Asso. & Elec. Industries	37/9
Austin Motors, ord.	21/3
Cable & Wireless, New Form, ord.	48
B.A. Tob. (bearer)	80
Cannell Laird, ord.	5/10½
Mexican Eagle	5/1½
Courtaulds	27/8
Distillers	85
Dunlop Rubber	26
Gen. Electric (England)	72/3
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	77/6
Hawker Siddeley Airc.	11/3
Bristol Aeroplane	14/9
Imperial Chemical Ind.	29/6
Imperial Tobacco	108/9
Marks & Sp'cer "A" ord.	87/6
Leyland Motors	80
Tate & Lyle	58/9
Turner & Newall	78/9
United Steel	22
Smethwick Drop Forg.	14/6
Armstrong Stevens, ord.	5/6
Pressed Steel, ord.	15/3
Vickers, ord.	16/10½
Woolworths	55
Anglo-Dutch	27/9
Rub. Plant. Invest. Trust	29
Burns Corporation	9/4½
Commonwealth Mining	—
Marsman Investments	12
Handfonten Estates	36/6
Western Holdings	8/9
Sub-Nigel	210
Tanami Gold Mining	6d
Anglo-Iranian	70/7½
Burmah	66/3
Shell Trans. & Trad. (bearer)	90/7½
—Nominal	—

COMMODITY PRICES INCREASE

BUCHAREST, Sept. 15 (Reuter)—Bidding by Dutch, French and British operators resulted in the price of wheat rising 30 per cent and in doubling the price of barley.
An official of the economic section of the Nazi Foreign Office is expected to arrive in Bucharest to-day.
It is believed that Germany is to negotiate for essential commodities which she needs and which Rumania can supply.

SILVER MARKET

LONDON SILVER
London, Sept. 14 (Reuter).
Silver—Speculators bought and sold. Business small. Market quiet. In the afternoon, the market was very quiet.
Spot, 21-1/2d.
Forward, 21-3/8d.
NEW YORK SILVER
New York, Sept. 14 (Reuter).
Official Price, 36.
BOMBAY SILVER
Bombay, Sept. 14 (Reuter).
Market—Uncertain.
Offtake 100 bars.
Indian Mint Silver
Ready 58-17
Oct. 7 Settlement 58-07
Nov. 4 Settlement 58-07

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE QUOTATION

STOCKS	Last Sale Sept. 14	STOCKS	Last Sale Sept. 14
Adams Express	10½	Johns Manville	77½
Allegheny Steel Co.	25½	J. & Laughlin Steel 57 pld.	73½
Allied Stores	9½	Kennecott Copper	43½
Allis Chalmers	45½	Lakey Foundry & Mac.	4
Aluminium Ltd.	94½	Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	46½
Amercan Corp.	—	Lockheed Aircraft	29
Amer. Can.	111½	Loew's Inc.	34½
American Cyanamid B	34½	Manhattan Shirt Co.	13
Amer. & Foreign Power	2½	Martin, Glen L.	38½
Amer. & Foreign 7½ pt.	22½	McKesson, Robbins	174½
American Gas & Elec.	33½	Montgomery Ward	54½
Amer. Locomotive	24½	National Cash Register Co.	15½
Amer. Metals Co.	28	Nat. Dairy Products	24½
Amer. Radiator	11½	Nat. Distillers	24½
Amer. Rolling Mill	21½	National Gypsum	11
Amer. S'ing and R'ing Co.	57½	National Lead	25½
Amer. Sugar R'ing	28½	Nat. Power & Light	8½
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	182½	National Steel Corp.	79
Amer. Tobacco "B"	79½	Nat. Supply Corp.	13½
Amer. Waterworks	11½	New York Central	20½
Anaconda Copper	35½	Niagara Hudson Power	7½
Atchafon, T. & S. Fe.	30½	N. American Aviation	20½
Auburn Motors	3½	North American Co.	21½
Baltimore & Ohio	8½	Northern Pacific	11
Barber Asphalt Co.	15½	Owens-Illinois Glass Co.	58½
Barnsdall Oil	16½	Pacific Gas & Elec.	30½
Bendix Aviation	31½	Pacific Lighting	45½
Beckheim Steel	93	Packard Motors	42
Bliss & Co.	18	Paramount Pictures	74½
Boeing Airplane Co.	26½	Pennsylvania R.R.	24½
Borg-Warner	25½	Phelps-Dodge	45
Briggs Manufacturing	24	Phillips Petroleum	44
Brooklyn-M'hattan Trans.	11½	Public Service of N.J.	37½
B'klyn-M'hattan 54 cum pf.	41	Pullman Inc.	34½
Canadian Pacific R'way	5½	Pure Oil	10½
Case, J.I.	98	Radio Corp. of Am.	64
Celanese	24½	Reading Company, Com.	17½
Chesapeake & Ohio	40½	Reading Company, 1st pld.	24
Chrysler Corp.	89½	Remington Arms Co., Inc.	64½
Columbia Gas & El.	78	Republic Steel	27½
Columbia 6% "A" pf.	81	Reynold Tobac. "B"	38½
Commonwealth & S. (ord.)	43½	Richfield Oil	11
C'wealth & S. 6% cum pf.	63	Safeway Stores	41½
Consolidated Edison	30½	Schenley Distillers	13½
Consolidated Oil	8½	Schenley 54½ pld.	—
Continental Can	48½	Sears Roebuck	77½
Continental Oil	29½	Severely Aircraft	5
Corn Products	61	Shell Union Oil	15½
Curtiss Wright (C.)	73	Socoy-Vacuum Oil	14½
Curtiss Wright "A"	27	Southern Pacific	18½
Deere & Co.	20½	Southern Ry 55 pld.	28½
Douglas Corp. Seagrams	15½	Sperdy	50½
Douglas Aircraft	76½	Spicer Manufacturing Co.	26½
Du Pont de Nemours	180½	Standard Brands	51
Eagle Picher Lead	1312	Stand Gas & Elec.	33
Eaton Mfg. Co.	27	Standard Oil of California	32½
Elec. Autolite	37½	Standard Oil of N.J.	52½
Elec. Bond & Share	93	Stone & Webster	14½
Elec. Bond & Share 55 pf.	56½	Swift International	34
Elec. Bond & Share 56 pf.	66	Technicolor	12
Elec. Power & Light 57 pf.	31½	Texas Corp.	48
Flintkote	19	Texas Gulf Sulphur	37
Food Machinery Corp.	37½	Trans-America Co.	74
Gen. American Trans.	57½	20th Cent. Fox	14½
Gen. Electric	42½	20th Cent. Fox 54½ pf.	22½
Gen. Motors	54½	Union Carbide & Carbon	99½
Gen. Railway Signal	24½	Union Pacific	43
General Tire & Rubber Co.	22½	United Aircraft	10
Glidden Co.	17½	United Airlines Trans.	40½
Goodrich (B.F.)	26½	United Corp.	3
Goodrich 55 pf.	—	United Corp. 3 cum pf.	36½
Goodyear Tire & Co.	29½	United Gas Corp.	22
Great Northern Iron Ore	204	United Gas Improvement	134
Great Northern Ry. pld.	304	U.S. Industrial Alcohol	28½
Great Western Sugar	32½	U.S. Rubber	45½
Greyhound Corp.	16½	U.S. Rubber 55 pld.	105
Hecker Products	—	U.S. Steel	77½
Hercules Powder Co.	93½	Vanadium	37½
Homestake Mining	54	Warner Bros. Pict.	44
Industrial Rayon	26½	Westinghouse Elec.	115½
International Harvester	70½	Woodward Iron Cor.	28½
Int. Nickel	42½	Chase National Bank	—
Int. Tel. & Tel.	6½	National City Bank	—

DOW JONES AVERAGE		Sept. 15, 1939	
High	Low	High	Low
154.92	151.44	154.10	151.96
24.22	24.14	23.92	23.10
27.07	26.71	24.30	24.21
82.22	82.21	82.25	82.20
60.52	45.59	54.52	59.81

Business Done—\$40,000 shares

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

SEPTEMBER 15, 1939	
On London:	—
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2 13 16	—
Bank Bills, on demand 1/2 13 16	—
Credits 4 months' sight 1/2 13 16	—
On Shanghai:	—
On demand	350
On Singapore:	—
On demand	52 1/2
On India:	—
Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2 13 16	—
Bank Bills, on demand 1/2 13 16	—
Credits 4 months' sight 1/2 13 16	—
On New York:	—
Bank Bills, on demand 1/2 13 16	—
Credits 4 months' sight 1/2 13 16	—
On Manila:	—
On demand	48 1/2
On Bangkok:	—
On demand	150 1/4
Sterling Notes:	—
Bank Buying Rate	31/4
Bar Silver per oz.	31 1/2

LONDON GOLD

London, Sept. 14 (Reuter).
Bar Gold, Fine per oz., 158.

Market Report

FROM ROZA BROS.
Silver prices dropped yesterday to the extent of 1/16 for Ready and 1/8 for Forward, the quotations being 21 1/2 and 21 3/8 respectively. Silver advices reported speculators as having operated both ways. The market was quiet. American Silver was quoted at 36 for Spot.
The London/New York cross-rate was quoted at 402, New York/London was quoted at 393.
Market
Steady.
Sterling
Business was done at 1/23 1/32 for November delivery. The market closed at lunch time with sellers at 1/23 1/32 September/October and 1/21 1/2 November/December, buyers at 1/23 1/32 for cash, 1/3 October and 1/23 1/32 November.
U.S. Dollars
Business was done during the course of the morning at 25 1/2 and also 25 9/16 for cash. There were sellers at 25 3/8, buyers at 25 1/2 for cash.
Shanghai Dollars
Nominal 367.
Shanghai Market
Opened at 4d but towards the close sellers were reported at 4 1/8. The market was quiet but steady.
Afternoon Market
The market was quiet in the afternoon.
Sterling
The market closed with sellers at 1/3 September, 1/23 1/32 October and 1/21 1/2 November/December, buyers at 1/23 1/32 for cash, 1/3 October and 1/23 1/32 November.
U.S. Dollars
Sellers at 24 3/8, buyers at 24 9/16 for cash.
Shanghai Dollars
365.
Shanghai Market
4d sellers.

Shanghai Exchange

Official T.T. Rates
Shanghai, Sept. 15 (Reuter).
Opening
London ... 0/3-1/2
New York ... 5-5/8
Japan ... 24-5/8
India ... 19-3/8
Paris ... 2-5/3
Hongkong ... 23-1/4

Sterling

Sellers ... 30-1/2
Sept. ... 6-15/32
Oct. ... 6-15/32
Market—Quiet

Merchant Rate

Sterling, 0/3-1/16.
U.S. Dollars, 28-3/8.

Silver Duty Rate

The Central Bank of China's rate on London at 10 a.m. to-day was 1/2-1/2d.

The Equalisation rate was 13.5 per cent.

New York Exchange

New York, Sept. 14 (Reuter).
T.T. on London (Opening Rate).
3.85.



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Optional cargo will not be landed here, unless notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 22nd Sept., 1939, will be subject to Rent.
All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 21st Sept., 1939, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.
To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.
All claims must reach us before the 22nd Oct., 1939, or they will not be recognised.
No Insurance will be effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JEBSEN & CO., Agents.
Hong Kong, 15th Sept., 1939.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES

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Optional cargo will not be landed here unless Notice has been given prior to Steamer's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.
All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 21st Sept., 1939, at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.
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18th September, 1939.

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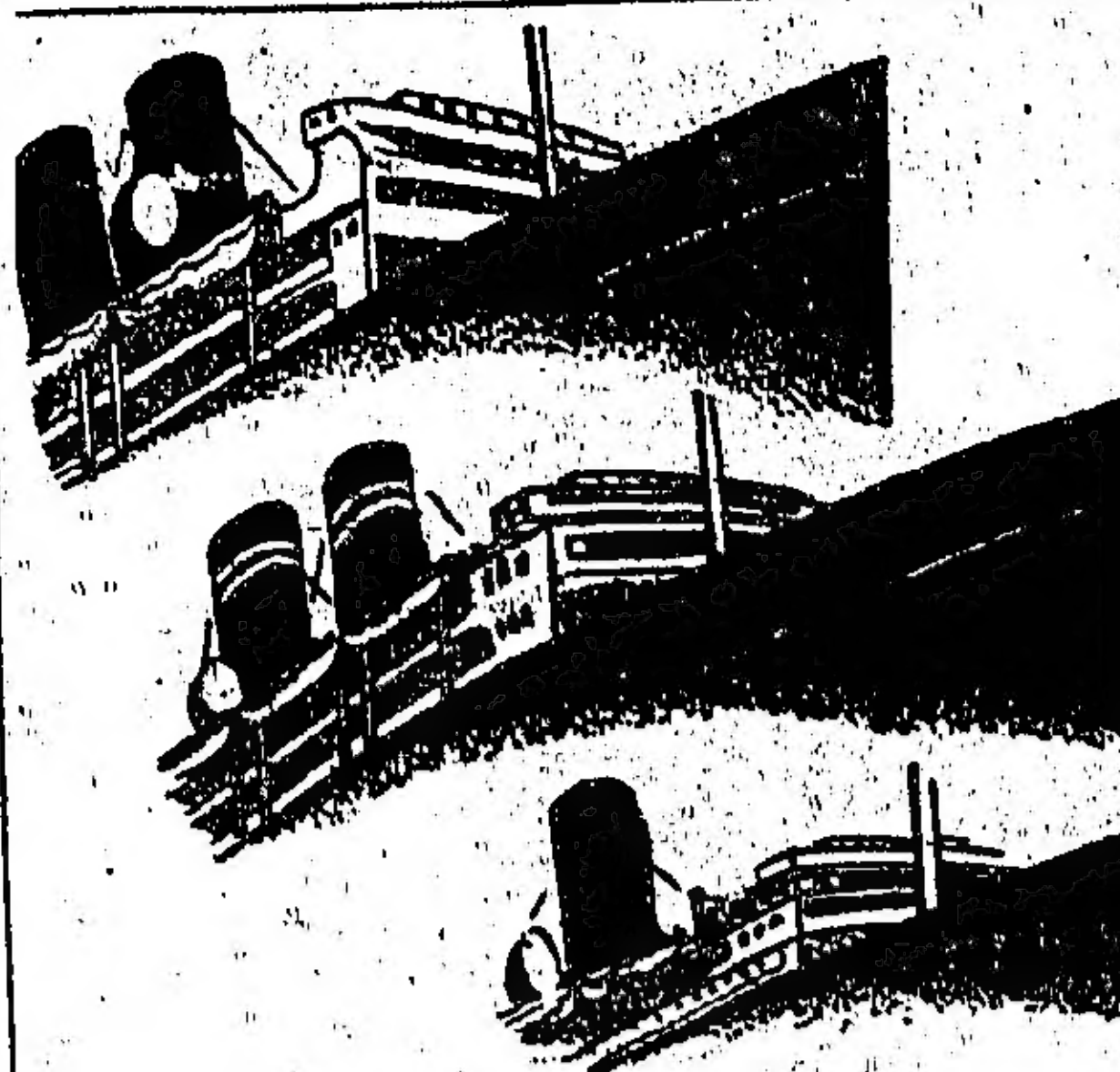
SWATOW (7) SHANGHAI
"Wingang" 20th Sept. 4 p.m.
"Kwang" 27th Sept. 4 p.m.
"Mingang" 1st Oct. 4 p.m.
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SWATOW (7) SHANGHAI
"Fausang" 24th Sept. 4 p.m.
"Tai Sen Hong" 31st Sept. 4 p.m.
"Kwang" 20th Sept. 4 p.m.
"Mingang" 27th Sept. 4 p.m.
"Wongang" 1st Oct. 4 p.m.
"Wingang" 4th Oct. 4 p.m.
To SINGAPORE, PENANG and CALCUTTA
"Kumang" 17th Sept. 10 a.m.
"Yuenang" 20th Sept. 3 p.m.
To KORE and OSAKA
"Isami" 20th Sept., 5 p.m.
"Hosang" 26th Sept., 9 a.m.



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SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN			
VICTORY OF INDIA	20,000	28th Sept.	Shanghai
SANTHIA	8,000	28th Sept.	Japan
*BHUTAN	6,000	29th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan
NELLORE	7,000	4th Oct.	Shanghai & Japan
SHERADA	6,000	18th Oct.	Japan
*BEHAR	6,000	18th Oct.	Shanghai
TILAWA	10,000	28th Oct.	Japan
*SODAN	6,000	27th Oct.	Shanghai & Japan
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RAKUYO MARU ... 24th Sept.
NEW YORK via Panama.

* ARIMA MARU (Starts from Kobe) ... 30th Sept.
LONDON, MARSEILLES, NAPLES via Suez.

SUWA MARU ... 23rd Sept.
TERUKUNI MARU ... 6th Oct.
HAKUSAN MARU ... 21st Oct.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila, Davao, Thursday Island, Brisbane.

ATUMA MARU ... 27th Sept.
BOMBAY & KARACHI via Singapore & Colombo.

* NAGATO MARU ... 3rd Oct.
RANGOON & CALCUTTA via Singapore.

* DELAGOA MARU ... 23rd Sept.
* DURBAN MARU ... 13th Oct.

KOBE AND YOKOHAMA
KITANO MARU ... 22nd Sept.
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RAKUYO MARU ... 24th Sept.

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The (B.L.) Talma will leave for S'hai M'oi, Kobe and Osaka on or about Saturday, Sept. 16 at 8 a.m.

ADVERTISED SAILING FROM HONGKONG

Coast Ports and Japan

Amoy
Kingyuan, B. & S., Sept. 18.
Tjibadak, J. C. J. Line, Sept. 23.
Van Housen, J. C. J. Line, Sept. 23.

Chefoo
Fausang, Jardine's, Sept. 24.

JAPAN
Malaya, E. A. Co., Sept. 18.
Shantung, Gilman's, Sept. 17.
Denbighshire, Jardine's, Sept. 18.
Islam, Jardine's, Sept. 20.
Kishino Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 22.
Athos II, Messageries, Sept. 22.
Haruna Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 23.
Rakuyo Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 24.
Hosang, Jardine's, Sept. 26.

Shanghai
Malaya, E. A. Co., Sept. 18.
Shantung, Gilman's, Sept. 17.
Kingyuan, B. & S., Sept. 18.
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Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 23.
Rakuyo Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 24.
Hosang, Jardine's, Sept. 26.

Swatow
Wingsang, Jardine's, Sept. 20.
Fausang, Jardine's, Sept. 24.

Taku Bar
Philoctetes, B. & S., Sept. 23.
Aeneas, B. & S., Sept. 24.

Tientsin
Fausang, Jardine's, Sept. 24.

Tsingtau
Aeneas, B. & S., Sept. 24.

EASTWARD
North and South America

Balboa
Tai Ping Yang, Dowdell's, Sept. 18.
Rakuyo Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 24.
Jeff Davis, Thoresen's, Sept. 25.

Baltimore
Jeff Davis, Thoresen's, Sept. 25.
Tai Ping Yang, Dowdell's, Sept. 18.
Jeff Davis, Thoresen's, Sept. 25.

Cristobal
Tai Ping Yang, Dowdell's, Sept. 18.
Jeff Davis, Thoresen's, Sept. 25.

Hilo
Rakuyo Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 24.

Honolulu
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 23.
Rakuyo Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 24.

Los Angeles
Tai Ping Yang, Dowdell's, Sept. 18.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 23.
Rakuyo Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 24.

Mexico
Rakuyo Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 24.

San Francisco
Tai Ping Yang, Dowdell's, Sept. 18.
Jeff Davis, Thoresen's, Sept. 25.

Philadelphia
Jeff Davis, Thoresen's, Sept. 25.

San Francisco
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 23.

South America (WO)
Rakuyo Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 24.

Valparaiso
Rakuyo Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 24.

SOUTHWARD
Coast Ports, Manila, Australia

Bal
Tjinegara, J. C. J. Line, Sept. 19.

Bangkok
Hellas, Thoresen's, Sept. 20.

Batavia
Adras, B. & S., Sept. 20.

Cebu
Tjinegara, J. C. J. Line, Sept. 19.

Haliphong
Taiyuan, B. & S., Sept. 17.
Soochow, B. & S., Sept. 20.
Wongang, Jardine's, Sept. 20.
Canton, C. A. N., Sept. 22.
Tsinan, B. & S., Sept. 22.
Taisang, Jardine's, Sept. 24.
Jean Dupuis B. & S., Sept. 23.

Holow
Soochow, B. & S., Sept. 20.

Kwangchowwan
Soochow, B. & S., Sept. 20.
Hellas, Thoresen's, Sept. 20.
Jean Dupuis B. & S., Sept. 23.

Makassar
Tjinegara, J. C. J. Line, Sept. 19.

Manila
Giulio Cesare, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 18.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 18.
Kingyuan, B. & S., Sept. 18.
Tjinegara, J. C. J. Line, Sept. 19.
Adras, B. & S., Sept. 20.

Pakhoi
Soochow, B. & S., Sept. 20.

Saigon
Cyclops, B. & S., Sept. 20.

Socrahal
Tjinegara, J. C. J. Line, Sept. 19.

WESTWARD
Europe Africa, Etc.

Aden
Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.

Alexandria
India, E. A. Co., Sept. 23.

Antwerp
Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.

Bombay
Giulio Cesare, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 18.
Brisbane Maru, O. S. K., Sept. 18.
Naringa, B. I. (Apost), Sept. 23.
Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.

Bomborough
Cyclops, B. & S., Sept. 20.

Calcutta
Kumsang, Jardine's, Sept. 17.
Brisbane Maru, O. S. K., Sept. 18.
Naringa, B. I. (Apost), Sept. 23.
Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.

Casablanca
India, E. A. Co., Sept. 23.

Colombo
Giulio Cesare, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 18.

Copenhagen
Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.

Genoa
India, E. A. Co., Sept. 23.

Glasgow
Giulio Cesare, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 18.

Halifax
Cyclops, B. & S., Sept. 20.

Havre
Adras, B. & S., Sept. 20.

Liverpool
Cyclops, B. & S., Sept. 20.

London
Giulio Cesare, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 18.
Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.

Marseilles
Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.

Naples
Giulio Cesare, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 18.

Penang
Kumsang, Jardine's, Sept. 17.
Brisbane Maru, O. S. K., Sept. 18.
Anking, B. & S., Sept. 22.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. Lines, Sept. 23.
Naringa, B. I. (Apost), Sept. 23.

Port Said
Giulio Cesare, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 18.

Port Swettenham
Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.

Rangoon
Anking, B. & S., Sept. 22.

Rotterdam
Naringa, B. I. (Apost), Sept. 23.

Singapore
Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.

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Giulio Cesare, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 18.

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Suwa Maru, N. Y. K., Sept. 23.

Singapore
Rajputana, P. & O., Sept. 18.

Sailed Yesterday
Lowther Castle for Belra
Emp. of Asia for S'hai
Mau Sang for Sandakan
Talma for S'hai
Hareldawing for K.O. Wan
Nowhere for Spore
Yunnan for S'hai
Shantung for Spore
Jean Muller for Spore
Celtic Monarch for S'hai
Kaiyo Maru for Spore.

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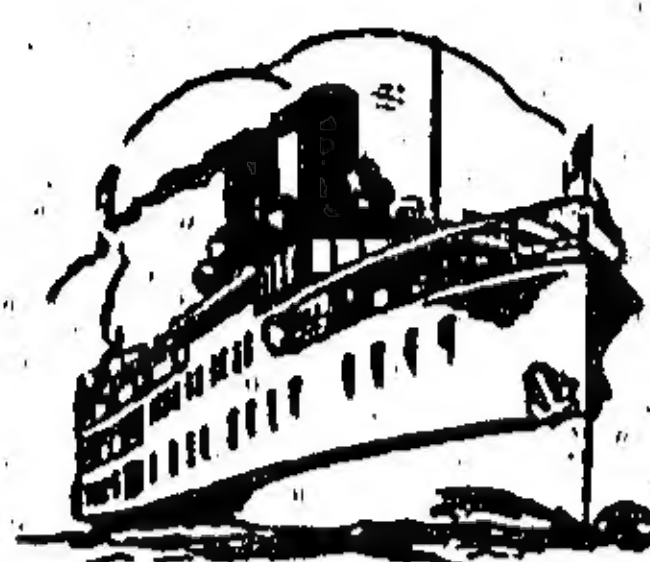
The next prospective sailing of the s.s. "Fatsan" from Hongkong will be on the 26th Sept., 1939, at 8 a.m. and returning from Canton on the 29th Sept., 1939, at 9 a.m.

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M.V. "ANNA MAERSK" 27th Sept.
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AMBULANCE BRIGADE

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that they will resign rather than submit to what they seem to be outside interference in the administration of a body which has existed for nearly 25 years in the Colony, and to which most of the members are bound by ties of duty and sentiment.

This can be readily imagined when it is remembered that every one of them are voluntary and unpaid workers, and that the Institution as a whole is not dependent on Government assistance in any form.

The position has been further aggravated by the fact that within the last few days the newly-appointed executive committee is understood to have called upon Mrs. R. Langley, the Honorary Secretary of the local branch, to send in her resignation, and has also, at the same time, informed the local Director, Mr. A. Morris, that he must accept the authority of their newly-appointed acting commissioner.

RESENTMENT INTENSIFIED

This action has intensified the resentment amongst the members and our representative was able to gather that a meeting is being arranged, by the lower ranks of the organisation, to obtain a consensus of opinion as to what action they should take in protest. This might even extend to a resignation of the members en bloc. As a matter of fact, the majority of them appear already to have decided on this course.

As far as can be gathered, the official intentions are to reorganise the institution which has already proved of invaluable service to the Government.

For instance, it may not be generally known, that the Association has placed at the services of the Government four fully equipped ambulances entirely free of charge, though the Government pays for their maintenance. The Association operates three other ambulances which are always available to the public without charge.

Then there is the fact of the clinics established in the New Territories. Originally started by the New Territories Medical Benevolent Society, which was sponsored by six prominent Hongkong citizens, later, after negotiation with the St. John Association, the two institutions were amalgamated and it is only recently that the Government extended the scope of their activities to this area.

DIFFERENCE OF OPINION

This happened about nine years ago, and it is from that time that there appears to have been some difference of opinion between the Association and the official side. It was, no doubt, this position that prompted Mr. Morris to send in his resignation to the headquarters of the Association last May.

As previously stated, the question of Mr. Morris's resignation was to be taken up at the next Chapter of the Association's headquarters in November, but he has since withdrawn his resignation. The local executive committee, however, have informed him that they have accepted it.

The extraordinary situation created by these circumstances, is deplored by the members, 98 per cent of whom are Chinese, and the greater number non-British subjects. They point out that the Brigade owes its position to-day almost entirely to Chinese funds with which it has been financed from its inception, and the loyalty of the members to Mr. Morris, who has been associated with the organisation, entirely in an honorary capacity, for the last 20 odd years, and to Mrs. Langley, who as Honorary secretary, has also given her services to the institution for several years without any monetary reward, is strongly reflected in the manner in which they are determined to stand behind their leaders against any so-called interference in the Institution's administration.

DR. DOVEY'S POSITION

Our representative has been able to ascertain that the position of Dr. J. E. Dovey, who as Supervisor and Training Officer of the Medical Defence Scheme, had taken office accommodation in the Brigade headquarters, does not interfere with the internal administration of the Institution, and that Dr. Dovey is mainly concerned in reorganising the First Aid posts under emergency conditions.

The eventual outcome of this unhappy controversy is being eagerly awaited by the public, especially in view of the grave times in which it is taking place.

CHURCH NOTICES

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

(Church of England, Kowloon)
BOY SCOUTS A. R. P.
LECTURES BEGIN

The following are the forthcoming services etc. at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, on September 17, Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity.

Holy Communion 8 a.m.; Choral Communion and address 11 a.m.; Preacher: The Rev. N. V. Howard, of Canton; Evensong and address 7 p.m. Preacher: The Rev. H. D. Rosenthal, Vicar of Christ Church, Kowloon Tong.

Primary Sunday School in the Hall 10 a.m.; Leader: Miss W. Robinson; Young People's Service in the church 10 a.m. Leader: Mr. R. Baldwin.

ROSARY CHURCH

20, CHATHAM ROAD, KOWLOON.

Sunday—16th Sunday after Pentecost.

At 6.30 Mass with sermon in Chinese.

At 7.30 Mass with sermon in English.

At 8.30 Mass with sermon in Portuguese.

At 9.30 Mass with sermon in English, followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

At 2 p.m. Catechetical Instruction in Chinese.

At 2.30 p.m. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

ENGLISH METHODIST CHURCH

Queen's Road East. (Opposite the Royal Naval Hospital)

Heading—Anniversary of ladies' church aid society. Miss Edith Anstey and Major Dorothy Brazier to preach.

Services on Sunday September 17, 1939.

Preachers. Morning—Miss Edith Anstey.

Evening—Major Dorothy Brazier, Salvation Army.

Following the Evening Service a Social Hour will be held at the S. & S. Home at 8.15 p.m. All Servicemen and civilians will be warmly welcomed.

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGES

The following have given notice at the Registry, Supreme Court, of their forthcoming marriages:—
Mr. Alfred Hugh Stanton Skinn, chemical engineer, Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., and Miss Edith Saunders, of No. 657, Route Terrace, Shanghai.

Mr. Julio Andre dos Santos, clerk, Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd., and Miss Julia Maria da Rosa, of No. 7, Ladder Street, Upper Terrace.

Mr. Li Shu-shing, artist, of Room No. 708, China Building, and Miss Ngan Wai-fan, teacher, of No. 49, Peel Street, ground floor.

Mr. Sung Shi-chi, cameraman, of No. 75, Des Voeux Road Central, ground floor, and Miss Pang Kuen-man, of No. 30, King Kwong Street, ground floor.

Mr. Cheng Pak-leung, clerk, National Lacquer and Paint Products, Ltd., and Miss Cheung Lai-yun, school teacher of No. 145, Cheungshawan Road, second floor.

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FLOOD DISASTER IN S. HOPEI

SOUTH HOPEI, Sept. 15 (Central)—Twenty-seven districts in south Hopei are seriously affected by flood, according to an investigation conducted by the Hopei Flood Relief Commission.

A total of 5,461,000 mow of farm land is inundated and there are 75,891 refugees. No fewer than 10,000 houses have collapsed.

10-20 FEET OF WATER

The inundation was caused by the overflowing of the Tze Ya, Ta Tsing, Chai Lung, Kan Tang and Hu To Rivers. Low-lying places are under water between ten and twenty feet deep. There is yet no sign of the subsiding of the flood.

Gen. La Chung-shin, Chairman of the Hopei Provincial Government, is personally inspecting the flooded areas and extending relief to the refugees. He has sent a petition to Chungking asking for relief funds.

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liquefies and becomes exactly like flowing blood.

A spectroscopic examination of the liquefied substance made in 1902 showed the distinctive lines of the spectrum of blood. The liquefaction sometimes happens immediately; at other times it takes an hour or more to occur. Sometimes on congealing the phial seems to contain more of the substance than before, and in fact a series of experiments showed that the weight is not constant.

The Church has never pronounced the phenomenon miraculous, but none of theories advanced in explanation of it can be considered satisfactory. It is not due to change in temperature, and the varying length of time which the liquefaction takes renders the explanation, particularly difficult. Careful observations of the most minute kind have demonstrated the absence of any deception. St. Januarius was martyred at the beginning of the fourth century and the phenomenon of the liquefaction of the blood has been traced back to the year 1389.

ON PILGRIMAGE

Newspaper reporters who are always on the alert for hints about the coming fashions had recently to record an unusual piece of news about Madame Schiaparelli, probably the greatest living woman dress designer—that she had just taken in a religious pilgrimage.

The pilgrimage was that of Lough Derg, in Ireland. It is the severest known to the modern world. The religious exercises take three days, a rigorous fast has to be observed during the whole time, most of the day is spent in walking barefoot over the island paths reciting long prayers, and the whole of one night is given to prayer. Thousands of persons make the pilgrimage every year, many coming from a long distance.

The present American Attorney-General, Mr. Frank Murphy, formerly Governor-General of the Philippines, when he went with the American troops to France during the Great War promised to go to Ireland to make the pilgrimage to Lough Derg if he survived. He fulfilled his promise.

Madame Schiaparelli was unknown to her fellow-pilgrims, but one who made the exercises with her, without knowing her identity, commented on the exactness with which she fulfilled everything connected with it. Her dress did not attract any attention, for she is habitually very simply dressed. She is a fervent Catholic and told no one of her intention to go to Lough Derg. It was quite by accident that it became known after her return to England.

COURT MUSICIAN

The publication has been announced of a series of sonatas written by a Catholic missionary priest in China in the days of Johann Sebastian Bach. The priest was Theodore Pedrini, an Italian Vincentian, who, in spite of the fact that a bitter persecution of Christians was going on, was appointed Court Musician by the Emperor K'ang Hsi, of the Ch'ing Dynasty. Fr. Pedrini composed twelve sonatas, arranged for violin, and he left them in a manuscript book of seventy-five pages. They became buried among other ancient volumes in the Pei-pang Library of Peking, where they remained for 225 years.

Two years ago, Fr. Theodore Rueli, S.V.D., a professor of the Catholic University of Peiping, unearthed the volume and recognised the value of its contents. He has since transcribed the sonatas into modern notation, added other instrumental parts and edited them for publication.

The 8th Sonata was performed before a large audience at the Catholic University early in the present year. Fr. Rueli, who lectures on Philosophy and psychology in the Catholic University of Peiping, is a cultured musician and has made considerable research into the possibility of a common ground for eastern and western music. For several years he has conducted each year a Christmas Festival of Music which is one of the outstanding music events of the year in Peiping.

It is notified for general information that from Monday, September 18, 1939, the Vaccination Centre at the Harbour Office will be closed as an Anti-cholera Inoculation Centre. Anti-cholera inoculation certificates will be issued as usual at Port Health Office (11, Ice House Street) and at all Government Hospitals.

FOREIGN MAILS

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, 16th SEPTEMBER, 1939, 9.30 A.M.

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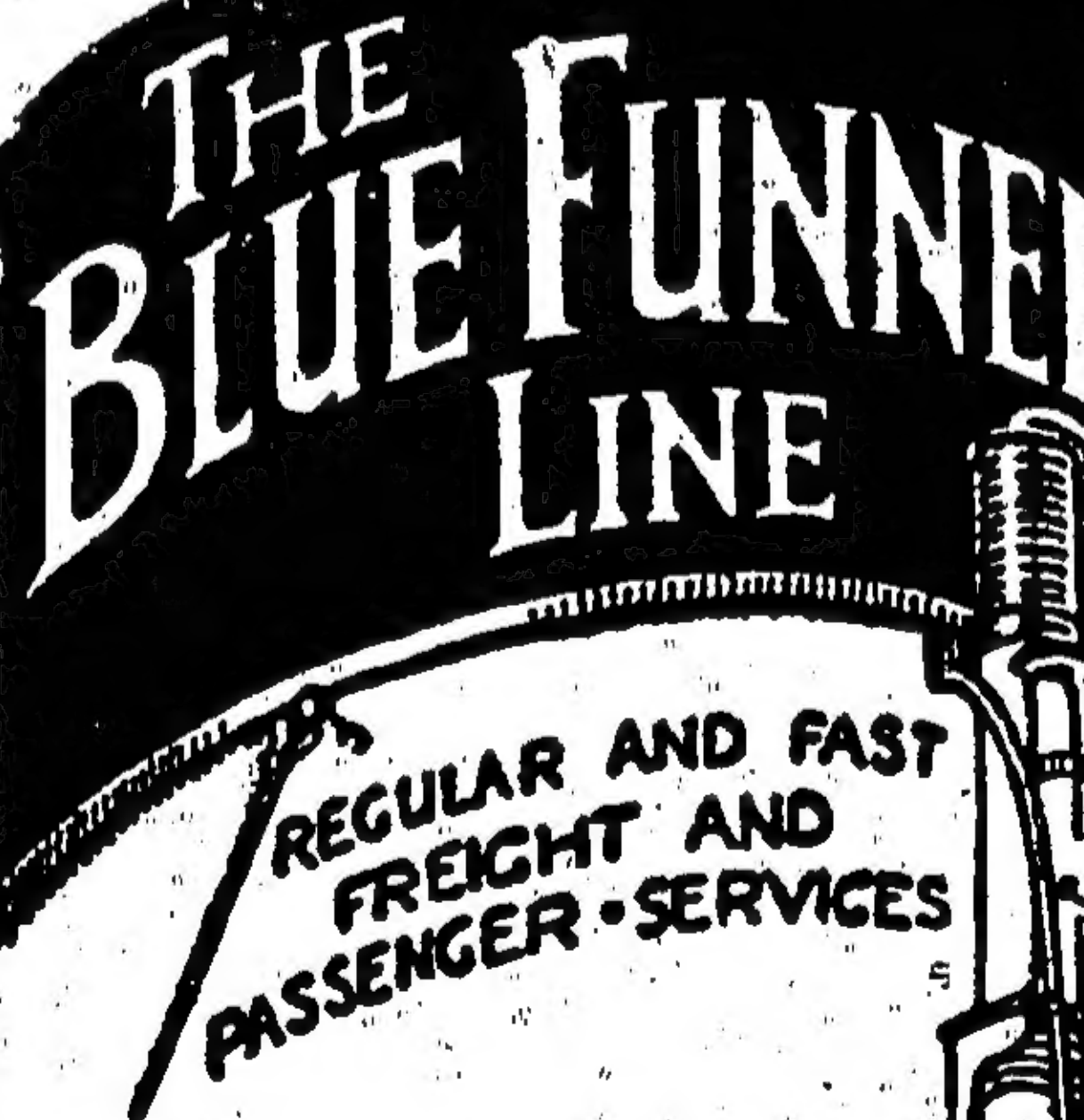
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Straits	Cante Rosso	22nd Sept.
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Shanghai	Glenapp	24th Sept.
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Shanghai	Kwangtung	8.30 PM
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Haiphong	Canton	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
Parcels only for Haiphong	Wosang	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
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